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BIG DIRIGIBLE HELPLESS IN AIR

LONG SESSION OF LEGISLATIVE STALLING SEEN

Blockade Signals Fly Over Congress.

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Members of congress have gone home for the holidays to report to their constituents that nothing was accomplished during the first three weeks of the session and that prospects are not favorable to a record of achievement during the remaining months.

With radical Republicans holding the balance of power in both houses and devoting their energies to blocking the administration program, it is a practical certainty that both houses will waste day after day in futile attempts at legislation.

When congress reconvenes on Jan. 3 the senate will find itself still deadlocked over election of a chairman of the committee on interstate commerce.

Emergency Bill Killed.

So hopelessly involved is the senate situation that it was even impossible to obtain consideration on the final day before adjournment of an emergency bill passed by the house to bring back free of duty thousands of cattle taken over the Mexican border for grazing purposes during a drouth in the southwest, though the directors of the War Finance corporation said large cattle loans made by the government were at stake.

While the organization of the house has been completed there will be little opportunity for consideration of important legislation until after the controversy over a liberalization of the rules has been fought out. The rules committee, under the promise given to the radicals at the time the speakership deadlock was broken, will deal with the changes in rules immediately after the holidays.

Will Be "Pass the Buck" Session.

Prospects are that the leaders in congress, having in mind the approaching presidential campaign, will devote a good deal of their time in coming months to explaining just why various kinds of legislation fail to get consideration. There will be a three cornered attempt to pass the responsibility on to some one else.

The Republican administration leaders will blame the radical Republican group. The radicals in turn will accuse the administration leaders. The Democratic leaders will take delight in the Republican family quarrel and put the blame on the majority party generally. The situation threatens to become ridiculous.

During the three weeks of the session thus far 1,566 bills have been introduced in the senate and 4,434 bills in the house.

Some Holiday Workers.

The house ways and means committee is one of the few committees which have actually commenced work. It has spent three days in the consideration of administrative provisions of the treasury tax bill. While the full committee will not meet again until Jan. 3, about half the members will remain in Washington during the holidays and, beginning Wednesday, will work as a subcommittee.

It is expected that the committee will dispose of this phase of tax revision by the middle of January and that after taking some time for the consideration of soldier bonus legislation it will be possible to have the proposed changes in tax rates well advanced by the end of the month. It is considered doubtful, however, that the complete tax bill will be ready for presentation to the house before the end of February.

May Divide Tax Bill.

In order to insure the passage of the administrative changes it may be decided to report two separate bills. If the changes in tax rates should be placed in the same bill with the administrative provisions and it should prove impossible to adjust the controversies over tax rate changes there might be no tax legislation at all at this session.

Administration leaders were glad to delay any consideration of the soldier bonus until after the holidays in order that members might have a chance to learn when they go to their homes the attitudes of any possible favorable reaction to the adverse recommendations of President Coolidge. If the president's message, supplemented by the declarations of Secretary Mellon for tax reduction, carried weight with the people the fact should be evident. On the other hand, as bonus advocates believe, the President's declaration did not change the sentiment of congress, the members will return with renewed determination to put through a bonus bill.

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AN HEIR AT LARGE

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PART II.—CHAPTER LXI.

The realisation that he must face a coroner's inquest staggered Dr. Cloven. His lips were twitching and his eyes glowed with a strange light. Mary Brook was uneasily conscious of the sudden change in his manner.

"But, doctor, you have nothing to fear?" she urged. "I'm sure, mother"—her voice wavered as her throat seemed to tighten—"passed away quite naturally. It was not wholly unexpected."

Cloven looked at her through lids half closed. His mind was active. How could he best use this guileless girl's sympathy? Her favorable testimony, inspired by a nature naturally kindly, would do much toward influencing a jury of villagers who could not be insensible to her youth and sincerity.

He shook his head sadly.

"There is no use," he said. "Rasher is determined to crush me. He has always disliked me. He will persecute me to the end. What chance have I, a simple doctor unfamiliar with the tricks of the law, against him and his wealth? Not that much"—he snapped his fingers and then smiled resignedly. "I must prepare to bear my cross." He arose. "Think no more about it, Mary. Nothing I can do can withstand this conspiracy."

Dr. Cloven did it well. As an actor he simulated persecuted innocence so convincingly that a girl unused to guile was bound to be affected.

"Good night, Mary. You must try and get some sleep. Do not think of me and my troubles, unless it be to give me a little pity."

With bowed head he left the room, a picture of martyrdom crushed and broken.

When the door closed behind him he changed instantly. He was alert and furtive. There was calculating desperation in his manner. There must be no postmortem examination of Mrs. Brook's body with its telltale revelation of the poison that had killed her.

He swiftly circled the cottage. There was no one in sight. Up at the main building of the sanitarium a light glowed in the office and he pictured the three men, Rasher, Clark, and the aviator, seated therein awaiting his return. It was manifestly impossible by hasty surgical means to destroy the incriminating evidence that a medical examination would disclose. And yet this destruction was imperatively necessary.

Noiselessly he entered the room where lay the body of Mrs. Brook and noiselessly he raised the window, through which came a fresh breeze from the lake. The curtains swished back and forth, sometimes swaying gently and sometimes floating far within the room. For a moment he studied the action of the curtains and then he placed the lighted lamp at the farthermost limit of the curtain's swing.

Sooner or later a strong gust of wind would carry the flimsy fabric over the flame in the lamp. When that happened he would be in bed, as would doubtless also be every one else except the drowsy night clerk, who was not supposed to leave his post.

Resuming his attitude of patient resignation, he rejoined Rasher and his two companions.

"Miss Brook is very nervous," he said, "but she has promised to try to sleep. It is very late and the poor girl is worn out. You must be very gentle with her, Mr. Rasher, and patient. She is hardly herself."

He then turned to Clark, the tacitum officer.

"Mr. Clark, if you have no objection, I'll try to get a few winks of sleep now. I shall not object if you wish to sit in my room and prevent any attempt to escape."

"No, that's all right, doc. Go ahead and get all the sleep you can. I'll be turning in myself presently."

"Then I would suggest that you go to the cottage and watch the body of Mrs. Brook. I'm sure you think me capable of any kind of mischief. You know"—he smiled ironically—"I might get up in the night and do something diabolical. There's to be an inquest, I'm told."

"Certainly, as a matter of form," answered Clark, "but if your conscience is clear you have nothing to worry about. We'll see you in the morning."

Dr. Cloven slowly mounted the stairs and disappeared. Rasher looked at Clark questioningly. Clark shook his head.

"He won't try to escape. He'll be sure one of us will be watching his room. He'll not stir from it all night. He'll try to bluff it out at the inquest with the role of injured innocence. And you'll be surprised at what a good impression he will make. The doc's no fool, whatever else he may be."

Clark arose and yawned. "I think we can turn in now."

A few minutes later the three men were in their beds. The night clerk was nodding drowsily over an old magazine. Mary Brooks had finally sunk into the sleep of exhaustion, and in the adjoining room, the death chamber, the curtains flapped back and forth as the wind from the lake strengthened toward dawn.

FIELD MUSEUM CURATOR BRINGS BACK AGED PRIZE

New York, Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Dr. Oliver C. Farrington, curator of geology for the Field Museum of Natural History at Chicago, returned today on the steamer Van Dyck from seven months in the wilds of the interior of Bahia, Brazil.

Dr. Farrington, who was about 700 miles in the interior, brought back an almost complete skeleton of a prehistoric sloth, known scientifically as a megatherium. The bones of the animal, he said, were petrified in a clay bank near the mouth of a water hole about 400 miles within the interior of Bahia.

There was undoubtedly a cataclysm of some sort near the water hole, Dr. Farrington said, for there were bones of other animals in the same place. The megatherium was about ten feet long and six feet high. He found the perfect skull, perfect pelvis and the leg bones in good condition.

The native Indians had built a wall around the old water hole, he said, using some of the megatherium's bones in the wall. They thought him insane, he said, for taking away the bones. The purpose of Dr. Farrington's trip into Bahia was to seek specimens of gold and black diamonds. He made the trip into the interior on muleback.

The megatherium or giant sloth was a creature that fed on the leaves of trees and has been extinct for thousands of years. It was about 10 feet long and 6 feet tall, and by stretching its long neck was enabled to eat leaves from the lower branches of the trees.

THE WEATHER

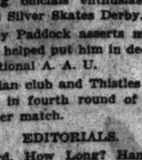
MONDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1923.

Sunrise, 7:16 a. m.; sun sets at 4:23 p. m. Moon rises at 5:09 p. m.

Chicago and vicinity—Fair Monday and probably Tuesday; not much change in temperature; moderate winds, mostly westerly.

Illinois—Fair Monday and probably Tuesday; not much change in temperature.

TRIBUNE BAROMETER.



TEMPERATURES IN CHICAGO.

MAXIMUM, 11 A. M. 40
MINIMUM, 1 A. M. 32

2 a. m.	40	Noon	40
4 a. m.	40	1 p. m.	40
5 a. m.	40	2 p. m.	40
6 a. m.	39	3 p. m.	40
7 a. m.	39	4 p. m.	40
8 a. m.	39	5 p. m.	40
9 a. m.	39	6 p. m.	40
10 a. m.	39	7 p. m.	40
11 a. m.	40		

9 p. m.	40
10 p. m.	40
11 p. m.	38
Midnight	36
1 a. m.	35
2 a. m.	33

Mean temperature for twenty-four hours to 7 o'clock last night, 40; normal for the day, 28; deficiency since Jan. 1, 4 degrees.
Highest wind velocity, 20 miles an hour, from the northeast at 11 p. m.
Precipitation for 24 hours ended at 7 p. m., 0.33; deficiency since Jan. 1, 0.05 inch.

TRAIN KILLS 4 OF FAMILY IN AUTO

Parents Burned to Death in Wreckage.

(Pictures on back page.)

A family of four, on their way to visit relatives over the holidays, was killed late Saturday night when a west bound passenger train of the Pennsylvania railroad struck their automobile at a crossing near Hartsdale, Ind.

Thought He Could Beat It.

The car was flung fifty feet, the gasoline tank exploding as it fell to the ground. Michael Somelov of Hartsdale and his young wife were burned to death. Four year old Theresa and her brother Albert, aged 6, were hurled clear of the machine. The girl was instantly killed, while the boy died a short time later in St. Margaret's hospital at Hammond, Ind.

The party was en route to Oak Glen from the Somelov home in Hartsdale. Apparently believing he could cross the tracks before the train reached the crossing, the father drove squarely in front of the onrushing locomotive.

Victim of Taxi.

One more automobile death was recorded in Cook county yesterday when William D. Gilmore, 80 years old, of 5536 North Kimball avenue, died in Henrotin hospital of injuries received on Dec. 5. A taxicab struck him as he was attempting to cross La Salle street at North avenue.

Walter Stack of 8541 Commercial avenue refused to be a casualty when a machine knocked him down and ripped his overcoat from his back at 89th street and Manistee avenue last night. Stack commandeered a passing automobile and pursued the other driver, Stanley Skrobo of 738 East 90th street, for six blocks. Jumping from the running board, he grabbed and held him for the police. Skrobo was booked for assault with a deadly weapon.

Tribune Employé Killed.

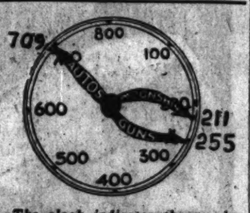
Police searched yesterday for the driver of a hired truck which collided with a street car at 61st and State streets early yesterday, resulting in the death of William Barrett, a TRIBUNE circulation employé. Barrett, who leaves a widow and two small children at 6332 South Massasoit avenue, was thrown from the truck into the path of a passing taxicab. Witnesses declare that the truck driver jumped from his seat and disappeared.

Two Men Injured.

Louis Bringes, 40 years old, 4122 Carroll avenue, was seriously injured last night when at West Lake street and Campbell avenue he was struck by a car driven by Charles Moderow, 311 South Oak Park avenue. Moderow was not held.

Mark Lawyer, 43 years old, a steamfitter, living at 2728 Shields avenue, was injured when he was hit at West 31st street and Wentworth avenue by a "vampire car."

HANDS OF DEATH



The clock indicates the number of deaths caused by automobiles, guns, and moonshine in Cook county since Jan. 1.

CO-ED'S CRIBBING IS TRANSPARENT ONLY TO HERSELF

Buchanan, W. Va., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—The female of the species may, or may not, be more deadly than the male, but members of the faculty of West Virginia Wesleyan are convinced she's a whole lot cleverer, anyway.

A certain girl was taking a test in chemistry and was wearing flesh tinted stockings of extremely thin material, and it was observed that she frequently peered studiously at her trim ankles. There appeared to be remarkable inspiration in those ankles, for after each earnest contemplation of them the girl would write energetically.

Watching his chance, a ministerial student took a look himself. Noting something peculiar, he peered still more closely, and discovered there was writing on the skin underneath the transparent hosiery. By drawing the fabric tight the writing became plainly legible.

"No Presents," Husband Says; Wife Takes Poison

Fearing that her husband did not love her, because he said there would be no Christmas presents this year, Mrs. Mary Brueshler, 18 year old bride, swallowed ten poison tablets in her home at 11743 Wentworth avenue last night. Physicians at the county hospital are fighting to save her life.

FRENCH VESSEL WITH 50 ABOARD HIT BY STORM

Fear Great Airship Wreck in Africa.

BULLETIN.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—The French dirigible Dixmude at a late hour last night was hovering over Foum Tatahouine, thirty miles south of Medinin, Tunis, according to advices received here. The military authorities at Foum Tatahouine had prepared a landing place and had succeeded in establishing communication with the airship, but whether she would be able to land seemed uncertain.

BULLETIN.

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PARIS, Dec. 23.—The Dixmude was sighted near Medinin, a village in southern Tunis, tonight. The fierce winds prevailing over the Mediterranean drove the airship from the sea over the land. Every effort is being made to indicate to the Dixmude the location of good landing places by means of bonfires and revolving searchlights, but the airship does not respond, probably because the wireless is not functioning properly. The airship is drifting easterly, which is much safer than its previous drift westward over the gulf of Gabes. However, officers say the ship will be wrecked if it makes an abrupt descent into the desert.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—[By the Associated Press.]—The great French dirigible airship Dixmude, with fifty officers and men on board, was drifting helplessly today in a violent gale over the Gulf of Gabes, on the north coast of Africa.

French warships are reported to be proceeding at full speed toward the gulf to give aid if possible.

The last direct news received from the airship was that it was headed over the Gulf of Gabes and had requested aid. The ministry of marine later received confirmation of the distress of the airship from land stations over which the dirigible had been seen drifting steadily eastward. Some of the stations reported that the Dixmude apparently was badly damaged.

Previous reports received from the airship said that a number of its crew were ill.

On Record Trip.

The Dixmude left Cuers-Pierrefeu, near Toulon, at 6 o'clock last Tuesday morning for a three-day flight to Insalah, Southern Algeria. This trip was successfully accomplished. The six motors of the airship were used until Friday afternoon fighting its way eastward to Tunis in a strong head wind that spread southward from the French coast. The gasoline supply of the airship became diminished, and it was impossible for the ship to return to France. Then it began to drift with one motor running. Occasionally it used another to run the wireless plant so as to be able to send out distress signals.

The French cruiser Mulhouse and all the torpedo boat destroyers in the region were hurriedly sent towards the Gulf of Gabes, and the garrisons in the Tunis district and southward made ready to help the Dixmude land or to send aid, if the airship was wrecked.

The Dixmude is commanded by Naval Aviation Lieutenant du Plessis de Grenada, but owing to the fact that the aircraft was out to exceed its world duration record of 4,500 miles, made in September, it carried a number of aviation officers as observers, including Capt. Yvon, assistant director of military aeronautics, and Capt. Hennique, commander of the Cuers-Pierrefeu aviation district.

Went to Insalah.

The Dixmude reached Insalah after thirty-five hours of flying in fine weather. It then started to return, but at Biskra French headquarters wirelessed it to remain in the south as there was a violent storm along the French coast which would make the crossing of the Mediterranean dangerous.

The Dixmude loafed between Biskra and Bizerta Thursday, hoping eventually to get back to Cuers-Pierrefeu, which has the only hangar equipped to receive the dirigible. The violence of the wind, however, prevented the aircraft pointing its nose across the Mediterranean. Meantime the gasoline supply of the dirigible was running low.

The military authorities sent a wireless message to the airship saying they were prepared to assist in landing it at Ouragha or Colomb-Bechar. But the Dixmude's gasoline was too low to make these points.

Joliet Pastor Directs Raids on 10 Saloons

(Pictures on back page.)

Organized in a Joliet church and directed by its pastor, twenty Chicago prohibition agents raided ten Joliet saloons late Saturday night, arrested a number of saloon owners, and seized a large quantity of liquor.

At the same time Sheriff Peter M. Hoffman and twenty-two deputies launched a series of mopping up raids that lasted until late yesterday and took them to forty Cook county road houses. Four arrests were made and beer, gin and whisky were seized.

The militant preacher who inspired the raids in Joliet was the Rev. Henry E. Rompel, pastor of the First Methodist church, and those arrested as a result of the swoop included John Jenco, a Will county supervisor and deputy sheriff, and Hugh McCraney, a brother-in-law of the Joliet captain of police.

Pastor "Posts" Raiders.

Chief Field Agent Charles W. Vursell headed the raids. The twenty agents under his command met in the Rev. Mr. Rompel's church and laid plans for a simultaneous descent on the saloons. The pastor himself furnished them with information regarding liquor selling activities in the city, then organized them into squads. When the squads departed to make arrests, he accompanied the one led by Chief Vursell.

In addition to whisky, much real beer was seized.

All the raided saloonkeepers were taken to the Joliet police station, but were released on their own recognizance and will appear this morning before United States Commissioner James R. Glass in Chicago.

Fifty Couples Flee Raid.

Sheriff Hoffman and his men made their arrests at the Dixie club in Homewood, Kelly's Tea room in Lyons, and saloons in Homewood and Bellewood.

Fifty couples left the Dixie club when the raiders entered and arrested Edward Billings, the proprietor. Robert Pain, owner of Kelly's Tea room, and Julius Anderson and Frank Liksna, the two saloonkeepers, were also arrested.

The four were released under $1,000 bonds. Billings and Anderson must appear before Justice J. C. Howe in Homewood on Dec. 27 and the other two before Justice Paul Witt of Forest Park on the same day.

REBELS DRIVE AT MEXICO CITY FROM 2 SIDES

Take Cuernavaca, Attack Toluca.

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Tampico, Mex., Dec. 23.—The army of Gen. Antonio Villareal, retiring before superior Obregon forces which took the city of Puebla, have halted pursuit at Atlixco. They are expected to move from here westward into the state of Morelos where a new drive is proceeding against Mexico City from the south and west. This drive already is within 40 miles of the national capital and needs only negotiate the broad passes leading to Tacubaya to attain the outskirts of the metropolis.

Two columns under Gen. Figueroa are said to have taken Cuernavaca and to be moving northward, one column along the railway and the other by the shorter highway over the back of the mountains. Another cooperating column already is in the state of Mexico and is marching against Toluca under Gen. Salvadore Alvarado, one of the most daring leaders of the revolution.

New Job for Obregon.

These columns are not believed to be strong, but with the addition of Villareal's troops a formidable force may be presented before President Obregon can bring together on the west of the capital his various columns, now somewhat dispersed in pursuit of the rebels more than sixty miles eastward.

The insurgents operating from Vera Cruz seem to be seriously embarrassed for ammunition for large and small guns, and the leaders are holding a meeting at Esperanza, according to the wireless at insurgent headquarters in Vera Cruz city.

On the west front it is reported that Gen. Enrique Estrada is becoming active again, but he is not considered an important actor in the present theater of operations about the capital.

The rebels seem bent on wearing down President Obregon's forces, but reinforcements continue to pour into his army from the north.

Battle for Puebla.

Mexico City, Dec. 22.—[Delayed.]—Fighting between the revolutionary garrison and the federal attacking forces raged on the streets of Puebla today following the enveloping movement yesterday. Ten thousand loyalist troops intended to capture 2,000 De la Huertistas under Gens. Antonio Villareal and Cesaro Castro, according to the latest official advices received in Mexico City.

Operations are being directed from Santa Apa, Chiautempan state, Tlaxcala, where Gen. Eugenio Martinez, commander in chief, has his headquarters.

The enveloping movement and preliminary attacks on Puebla involved the use of the 1st and 2d infantry brigades totaling about 2,500 men. Each brigade is composed of two battalions, the 1st being under Gen. Robert Cruz, former subsecretary of war, the 2d under Gen. Frederico Berlanga, commander of the Jalapa federals when the revolution began.

They saw their only fighting yesterday when they stormed Panzacola and engaged in skirmishes at Barranca Honda and Loro bridge.

Attack on Forts.

The third, fourth and fifth brigades under Gens. Francisco Urbalejo, José Amarillas and Fausto Topete, entered through Zacatecco, attacking Forts Loreto Guadalupe and San Juan, which were bombarded by a squadron of airplanes.

Two cavalry columns under Gen. Louis Gutierrez and Gen. Marcial Cavazos penetrated via Amozoc for the purpose of cutting off retreat in the direction of Tehuacan. Two batteries of artillery under Gen. José Ames Cue engaged the forts, while the forces under Gen. Juan Andrew Almazan, former commander at Puebla who evacuated the city a week ago under orders, together with the force of Maximo Jatay, attacked by way of "Fabricas" and over the Mexico City-Atlixco road entering Puebla.

After a three hour engagement where only the Cruz and Berlanga brigades were engaged the revolutionists retreated into the city from Panzacola. The cavalry brigades under Gutierrez and Cavazos entered over Amozoc road, while Almazan and Rojas found entrance over the Mexico bridge and past the penitentiary.

The federals suffered comparatively slight loss. The enveloping movement left the route over Animas bridge to Acatlan and via Tetela toward Aoxiala the only avenue of escape.

Statement by Leaders.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—Continued successes for the forces of President Obregon in dealing with the

RAIDERS SWOOP DOWN ON 'BLOODY WILLIAMSON' CO.

Marion, Ill., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Believing prohibition agents had all been called into Chicago for Christmas duty, bootleggers in Williamson county decided to celebrate. As a result twenty-five are held under federal bonds or are languishing in the Franklin county jail at Benton.

Prohibition agents from Washington swooped down upon the county last night, deputized local citizens to aid them, and made a systematic cleanup, with raids and arrests at Marion, Herrin, Carterville, No. 9 mining camp, Scottsboro, and at all of the roadhouses in the county.

As fast as arrests were made the prisoners were loaded into cars and taken to Benton, where they were haled before Commissioner William Hart. The Benton jail is said to have been so crowded that no more could be cared for.

Among those arrested is Otis Clark, who was the first man indicted for the Herrin massacre riots and alleged leader of the riot forces. Clark is alleged to have fired upon the prohibition agents. The raids were made without the knowledge or coöperation of Williamson county officials.

OCTAVUS ROY COHEN . . . . . His Children's Father

My dere honybunch:
I has just been lected soupritendant of de Uncle others orphinage which does pay no salry, but has a good house and three (3) meals a day good eatments so you had better come right away and dont say nothin about me not having no job because sometimes the truth hot only aint nessary but asso foolish I sends you my love.
Yrs respt.
MR. ARCHIBALD JOHNSON.

Blue Ribbon Fiction

A BLUE RIBBON short story in the colorete magazine of

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SAFETY FILM

revolution in Mexico were claimed today in a statement issued here by the Mexican embassy.

"The Mexican embassy has been officially advised by Mexico City," the statement said, "that Saturday at noon, after severe fighting, the government troops recaptured the city of Puebla, the reactionary rebels' stronghold in the central plateau, where they had concentrated the main body of their forces to withstand the advance of the federal troops. Gen. Martinez, commander of the victorious troops, in announcing the recapture of Puebla, reported that up to that time more than 1,000 prisoners, fully armed and equipped, had been taken and that the rest of the rebels disbanded in all directions and are being actively pursued.

"One of the forts defending the city surrendered at the beginning of the attack and the others were taken by storm by the federal troops. This victory is a decisive blow to the rebels and enables the government to continue unhindered the offensive for the stamping out of the rebellion.

"The rest of the republic continues under the full control of the government and conditions are normal.

"Military operations against Guadalajara already have begun and a heavy military column has been placed on the Colima railroad, thus cutting the rebels' retreat to the Pacific."

Statement for Rebels.

A statement dealing with the situation from the standpoint of the De la Huerta revolutionary forces, contained in private advices received here today, said:

"Yesterday an important meeting took place at Esperanza between Generals Fortunato Maycotte, Guadalupe Sanchez, Antonio I. Villareal, and Pedro Gonzales with the object of harmonizing movements and developing the plan of campaign ordered by headquarters.

"Gen. Cavazos, who with Gen. Payano joined the revolutionary cause, abandoning the enemy forces, had a conference today with headquarters during which he asked authority to appeal to military chiefs who still sustain the Obregon government in order that they may follow his example, which has been approved throughout the entire republic.

Report from Figueroa.

"Gen. Romulo Figueroa reports this evening that he has occupied Puente Ixtla, Amacuzac, and Zoxocotla, continuing his advance toward the capital. At the hour of reporting he had passed Cuernavaca. Another column pertaining to Gen. Figueroa's command, in combination with Gen. Alvarado, is menacing Toluca.

"Gen. Estrada, in harmony with the plans of headquarters, has initiated an active campaign within his zone. He has defeated the enemy and has driven away enemy troops guarding the railway between Irapuato and Aguascalientes. Gen. Estrada also reports that he has captured two enemy groups.

"Gen. Cardenas, commanding the eastern region of the state of Jalisco, in harmony with instructions agreed upon by the councils of generals yesterday at Esperanza, has evacuated Puebla, for purely strategic reasons."

SEND WOMEN TO U. S.

BY CASEY NORAN

[Chicago Tribune Foreign News Service.]

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Tampico, Dec. 23.—All the wives and children of the men employed by the Huasteca company in the lower oil fields have arrived at the company's terminal across the river from this city. They will be quartered there until they can be sent to the United States, the company deciding that, regardless of the quiet conditions prevailing, they will be better off in their homes.

It is rather a peculiar incident that the Huasteca is the only company taking such action, for an inquiry today at the offices of the other American and foreign companies brought to light the fact that none of the other companies were even considering such a move.

SURTAXES AIMED AT RICH WALLOP EARNER INSTEAD

Wealth Finds Haven in Exempt Securities.

BY ARTHUR EVANS.

High surtaxes, which Secretary Mellon says are a failure, form the chief point around which most of the controversy in Washington over income tax reductions will revolve. The high surtaxes were aimed at the very rich. But instead it appears they are walloping the ordinary salaried man and wage earner, and the ultimate consumer who carries the load of taxation indirectly in his family bills for rent, clothing, shoes, groceries, and other things.

As one studies the statistics of income compiled by the treasury department, the phase that seems most protuberant is the manner in which those of great wealth have been getting from under the surtax. They have been sidestepping the haymaker swung at them by the government and have been ducking the refuge into the cellar where they have been putting their wealth into tax exempt securities. The effect has been to shift more of the burden to those of small incomes.

Figures Tell Story.

In 1916 the aggregate net income reported by persons getting $50,000 a year and over was $2,578,000,000. In 1921 it was $1,045,000,000, decline of three-fifths. In the same period the aggregate net income reported by persons taxed on less than $50,000 a year grew from $3,700,000,000 to $18,500,000,000, a five fold growth. The income tax law, which in 1916 started with the $3,000 class, in this period penetrated lower to take in smaller incomes and raise more revenue for the war. High surtaxes on the higher incomes were expected to keep things balanced and make the tax bear hardest where incomes were greatest.

It worked for a while until large incomes had orientated themselves, so to speak. Then, by sending tremendous amounts of wealth into tax exempt securities, the high surtaxes began to defeat their own object. This has been well recognized for years.

Surtaxes Drop Millions.

The years 1919 and 1920 perhaps show the switch in greatest relief. On personal returns the normal tax collected on incomes was $468,000,000 in 1919 and $473,000,000 in 1920, a slight growth. The amount of surtax collected, on the other hand, dropped from $801,000,000 in 1919 to less than $600,000,000. And in 1921 the surtaxes collected on 1920 incomes were down to $411,000,000. The surtax rates in this period were unchanged.

When the figures on incomes of $300,000 a year and over are regarded, the decline in surtax receipts becomes even more astonishing, for here are the top fortunes which the surtax was expected to smite the hardest.

Treasury statistics show that in 1916 the taxable personal income covered by the law, which at that time started with the $3,000 a year class was $5,220,000,000, as reported by all federal income tax payers. In 1921, the law then reaching the $1,000 class, the taxable personal income reached an aggregate of $19,000,000,000. It had trebled.

How "Little Fellow" Pays.

Meanwhile the number of taxpayers affected by the law and making returns had grown from 437,000 in 1916 to 6,662,000 in 1921.

Thus taxable income and the number of taxpayers has been going rapidly upward. The receipts from surtaxes, however, have been traveling in the opposite direction, and one gets a fine slant at this by looking at the taxable incomes reported by those having incomes of $300,000 a year and more.

In 1916 there were 1,296 persons in the $300,000 group and over, and all told they reported a net income of approximately $1,000,000,000. In 1921 their number had shrunk to 246 and their aggregate net income was reported at $153,000,000.

In other words, while the volume of net income by personal federal income taxpayers had been multiplied by three, the total income of those getting $300,000 and more a year had been divided by six, to put it roughly.

U. S. Pointed the Way.

This has come about in several ways. Some of those wartime $300,000 incomes lost their inflation, which accounts for some of the drop. But the big fall has come through the adjustment of the very wealthy to the surtax. There are several ways in which this has occurred—the formation of trust funds and new methods of financing—but the greatest of all reducers of the surtax has been the tax exempt security, through the purchase of which the wealthy have been able to place their property beyond reach of the income tax collector.

Curiously enough, the government itself pointed the way. The tax exempt feature of the first liberty loan was played up strongly in the days of the first drives. And after they had been shown the way to get from under the surtax by buying tax exempts at low interest rates, those of large incomes took to it like ducks to water. Also as the demand for exempt securities grew, municipalities, counties, states, and other local governments rose to the occasion and the printing presses worked overtime putting out issues of bonds for improvements.

How the System Works.

A person with an income of $300,000 pays a 50 per cent surtax—it was 65 per cent two years ago. If he put $100,000 into a railroad or industrial security at 4 per cent he would draw $4,000, of which the government would get one-half or more in surtax, leaving him $4,000 net. If he put the same $100,000 in a tax exempt security paying 4½ per cent, he would derive $4,500, on which the government could collect no surtax.

Or, if a man in the $300,000 class bought a $1,000 tax exempt bond paying 3½ per cent, his interest would be $35 a year. The amount of tax from which he would be exempted, at a rate of 50 per cent, would be $20.50, making the tax exempt bond worth $55.50 a year to him. The low interest securities offer no advantages to the man of small income, and their appeal is strongest the higher one gets in the income brackets. The actuarial figures show that to taxpayers paying surtaxes in the highest brackets securities subject to surtaxes would have to yield about 10.4 per cent in order to be as attractive as a 5 per cent tax exempt security.

Secretary Mellon's Idea.

Secretary Mellon's idea is that, by reducing the surtax rates, the wealthy will lose the incentive to tie up their money in tax exempts, and more money will be collected by the federal government in surtaxes.

Against this some senators in Washington say to cut the surtax would be to reduce the taxes of the rich. Yet the present surtax on the incomes of the very rich has been losing its clutch continuously.

The volume of tax exempt securities is variously estimated at anywhere between $10,000,000,000 and $30,000,000,000. The best estimate seems to be that the bonded indebtedness of all state and local governments now approximates $11,000,000,000. Back in 1912 it was about $4,000,000,000.

Adding the first liberty bonds outstanding—placed by Mr. Mellon at $1,500,000,000—would give a grand total of $12,500,000,000 fully tax exempt securities.

Total May Be $15,000,000,000.

Then there are partial exemptions on a large volume of the government debt that would perhaps run the volume of securities fully exempt from income tax up to a total of $15,000,000,000, or maybe $20,000,000,000.

And that is one great field in which the rich have taken shelter against a surtax which Mr. Mellon contends is aimed so high that it simply fans the air over their heads and allows them to escape, meaning higher taxes on all the rest in order to produce the required revenue.

(In the next article Mr. Evans will discuss other ways in which huge incomes are getting from under the high surtax.)

ROCKED BY 58 QUAKES

BOGOTA, Colombia, Dec. 23.—[United News.]—Following one upon the other in terrifying succession, fifty-eight earth shocks were registered in Gachala, fifty miles west of here, today.

Reports received from twenty towns, however, show that only seven people were killed in the new quakes.

A slight shock was felt here at 1 p. m., but no damage was caused.

Dr. Hall Sends Yule Greetings to Griffis

(Picture on back page.)

Dr. James Whitney Hall, chairman of the national committee working for the release of Lieut. Corliss H. Griffis, now confined in a German cell for the attempted capture of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, last night cabled a message of Christmas cheer to Griffis, Kansas City, with a petition bearing 41,000 signatures, headed by the mayor and members of the judiciary, heads the country for the week ending last night, Dr. Hall said.

LEAVES PRISON; BROUGHT HERE FOR CHECK FRAUD

Edward Aaron, 23 years old, a nephew of E. A. Aaron, commission merchant at 74 South Water street, will appear in South Clark street court today charged with cashing worthless checks aggregating more than $10,000. Aaron was arrested in New York after his release Dec. 18 from Blackwell's island, where he served time for robbing the mails. He was brought to Chicago in the custody of Detective Sergeant John McGinnis.

Aaron fled Chicago in March, 1922, leaving in his wake, it is charged, a flood of checks ranging in amounts from $100 to one of $2,400, cashed by A. Lipman, a jeweler at 28 North Dearborn street. Other complainants are J. W. Gray, furrier in the State-Lake building; Philip Souchard, jeweler at 205 East Garfield boulevard; Benson & Rizon Clothing company, and Olson & Ebann, jewelers, 209 South State street.

A part of Aaron's sentence at Blackwell's island was commuted for good behavior. He is said to be wanted at Cleveland, O., on a charge of robbing the mails. Aaron is married and has a 6 year old son.

MOVE BIG ROOF OF GOLD CANOPY OVER TUT'S TOMB

LUXOR, Egypt, Dec. 23.—[By the Associated Press.]—The difficult task of removing the first of the three sections forming the roof of the immense golden canopy over King Tut-Ankh-Amen's resting place was successfully carried out this morning without danger. The lid proved to be far heavier than had been imagined. In fact, the big front section of it removed today is said to weigh as much as one of the ponderous doors of the outer shrine.

The inside roof of the canopy was found to be beautifully decorated with a series of five brilliantly painted hawks, with their wings fully outspread, as if to protect the monarch sleeping below. After much manipulation in the confined space at the disposal of the excavators, the section of the roof was lifted out and placed on a wooden frame in the antechamber of the tomb, where it was photographed.

Howard Carter said today that the work of removing the other two sections of the canopy would be much delayed by the necessity of avoiding damage to the linen pall covering the second shrine.

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"Many earnest Christians deplore such a public discussion. It is of no use to deplore; the discussion is here and will continue till the people are satisfied, and while there are many dangerous drawbacks, there is much, it seems to me, to be grateful for. Is it not suggestive that millions of people, a large proportion of whom have no close relations with the church, are interested in the problems relating to the Christian faith?"

Doctrinal Controversy Still Excites New York

The Rev. Dr. John Roach Straton, pastor of Calvary Baptist church (second from right), and his opponent, the Rev. Dr. Charles F. Potter, West Side Unitarian church, who took the "modernist" end in the recent debate in New York City (to the left of Dr. Straton). The others in the picture are the judges, who included Almet F. Jenks, former presiding justice of the New York Supreme Court; Ernest L. Conant, Lieut. Col. Robert Starr Allyn, and Justice William Herman Black of the New York Supreme court.

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SCORES DOGMA DISPUTES

New York, Dec. 23.—[Special.]—A little sermon was preached today on board the Holland-America line steamship Nieuw Amsterdam as she steamed through the harbor mists to her pier in Hoboken.

The distinguished preacher was Hendrik Willem Van Loon, foremost authority in all matters biblical, and whose latest book, "The Story of the Bible," was written after several years of more intensive study of the Bible than many clergymen give it.

"The most important part of the Bible," said Mr. Van Loon, "is what Jesus said in the Sermon on the Mount. Many clergymen seem to think it is more important to know what Jesus wore or how he stood when he said it. All that is immaterial, but it is such things that are beclouding the real issues of religion.

"I was brought up very strictly in the Dutch Reformed church, but I have never lost sight of the fact that what we must listen to is what Jesus actually said.

Don't Worry About Dogmas, He Says.

"In these days of religious controversy, my word is, 'Do what Jesus said. Be kind, forgiving, and do right, and love your neighbor, no matter what form of religious belief he may believe in.' We are all aiming for the same place, no matter what our respective church may be, and I cannot see why one person should put a stumbling block in the way of another.

"We know that Jesus was there when he preached the Sermon on the Mount, and that is all that matters. Why worry about all this church dogma? If a man wants to take his religion without a lot of rules to follow, let him have it. A dozen men start for a certain point, and each one may take a different road.

"Why should one party of church men find fault with others? If a man in the clergy does not like the rules prescribed for him by the head of the church let him get out and find rules that do make him happy.

"The whole matter bores me. When dogmatic rows start, I go out the window."

CALLS FAITH SAFE

BY THE REV. W. B. NORTON.

An outspoken criticism of recent assertions that belief in the virgin birth of Christ is essential to the permanence of Christianity was made yesterday morning in his Christmas sermon by the Rev. John Thompson, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, which met in Powers theater.

Dr. Thompson answered written questions given him by members of the congregation. Among the questions were: "What do you think of the statements of Dr. J. M. Gray of Moody Bible institute that Christianity rises or falls with a belief in the virgin birth and a similar statement by Dr. George Craig Stewart, rector of St. Luke's Episcopal church, Evanston, which appeared in an interview in last Thursday's TRIBUNE?"

Want to Hear More.

Another question was, "What do you think of the debate in New York city between the Rev. John Roach Straton, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church, and the Rev. Charles Francis Potter, pastor of the West Side Unitarian church?"

Dr. Thompson also was asked if he would not take the four subjects on which the New York ministers are yet to debate and make them the subjects of four sermons to be preached in Powers theater on successive Sundays.

To the last question he replied, "I will take the matter under consideration. I think I will act on the suggestion."

"Dr. Gray's statement," Dr. Thompson said, "is that an objection to the virgin birth is an objection to the supernatural. If the supernatural is rejected in this case, what is to prevent rejection in every other instance in the Bible? If we reject the supernatural in the Bible we have no Bible and no Christianity.

"Such a statement is hysterical. Christianity does not depend on such an interpretation of doctrine. Christianity lives and will continue to live, because of inherent merit independent of what this theologian or that shall state in regard to the way in which Christ came into the world.

"Dr. Stewart's statement assumes the same error. As quoted it says, 'If the theory of the so called modernist is true, then he had better put out the lights on the altar, throw away the candles, chop down the pulpits and raze the churches.' This statement shows more heat than light.

"The controversy in New York city between Dr. Straton and Dr. Potter does not properly represent the mind of the chuch. Dr. Straton is an extreme fundamentalist and Dr. Potter an extreme liberal. Dr. Straton fell into a trap by accepting debate on 'infallibility.'

Controversy of Preachers.

"The controversy now raging over the virgin birth is a controversy of preachers and not laymen," the Rev. Charles B. Althoff, pastor of the Lorimer Memorial Baptist church, said. "The mind and heart of the church as a whole are sound. I do not think the discussion is helpful to the cause of Christianity. On scientific grounds with its law of heredity it is hard to see how natural generation could produce a sinless Christ."

SANTA'S TARIFF BILL IS A COOL BILLION DOLLARS

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Santa Claus will pay approximately $1,000,000,000 in tariff duties on the gifts he imports into the United States for Christmas distribution, according to estimates made here today.

Even the reindeer which brings Santa's sleigh from somewhere around the north pole are subject to a duty of 15 per cent under the Fordney-McCumber tariff act.

Santa Claus must pay a duty of 10 per cent on every Christmas tree he brings in with him, and 70 per cent on all Christmas tree ornaments and decorations.

WHO'S HOOTCH IN CAPITAL? LIST OF 2,500 VANISHES

Bootleg Customers Draw Sighs of Relief.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—Washington's 2,500 residents, listed as purchasers on the books of an alleged rum syndicate, members of which were arrested here Friday and Saturday, breathed a little easier tonight. The whereabouts of the list has become involved in mystery.

Upon the arrest of eleven persons charged with being connected with the bootleg ring, police said the list of 2,500 purchasers had been seized and Assistant District Attorney Fresmont announced he would turn the names over to the grand jury.

Today the present location of the list could not be determined. Elmer Irey, chief of the special intelligence unit of the internal revenue bureau, said some of those arrested had told him there was such a list of customers, but that he did not have it nor did his men who participated in the raid.

Oyster Saw a Few Names.

Commissioner Oyster of the District of Columbia, under whose jurisdiction the police work, said he had seen a "partial list," but that he had ordered all the evidence taken by police in the raid turned over to the internal revenue bureau.

The police added that all of the evidence had been given to two agents of Mr. Irey. These men, Mr. Irey said, had participated in the raid, but had not seen the list.

Meanwhile, demands for publication of the names have come from several sources.

Capt. W. H. Stayton, executive head of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, wrote a letter to Prohibition Commissioner Haynes suggesting publication of the names. He frowned, however, on any prosecution of the customers, whom he referred to as average American citizens.

Cabinet Members on It?

"It is alleged that on the list appear the names of two members of the cabinet, as well as of members of congress, of the judiciary and of others prominent in official circles in Washington," Capt. Stayton wrote. "These names, it is asserted, have been decoded from a cipher list of customers of the 'rum ring' which has been active in the illegal dispensing of liquor at the national capital.

"As head of an association standing for law and order, although opposed to the present fanatical and unenforceable liquor laws, and holding the unequivocal position that the present disclosures are merely typical of a nation wide disregard and disrespect for existing prohibition legislation, I ask that you authorize publication of a complete and unexpurged list of the names.

Wheeler Seems Provoked.

"Please note that Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel of the Anti-Saloon league, appears to take an even more extreme position. Published reports in connection with the activities of the federal agents in this case accredit Mr. Wheeler with saying that, in his opinion, 'every one of the alleged 1,500 liquor purchasers disclosed by the bootleggers' books should be prosecuted for violating section 6 of the national prohibition act.'

"Mr. Wheeler is further quoted as saying that 'the purchaser is a more cowardly violator of the law than the bootlegger.' This association is not prepared to champion the cause of the bootlegger as against the average American citizen, but it does believe that the utmost publicity should attend these operations of the federal government.

Wants Genuine Publicity.

"An immense amount of publicity is regularly issued by your bureau, most of it purporting to show that it is effectively dealing with the situation. Will you not give the country a sample of 'pitiless publicity' in the present instance? I have no doubt it would prove highly illuminating."

Mr. Haynes said Capt. Stayton could rest assured the law would be rigidly enforced in this as in other cases. Then he rhapsodized over the accomplishments of his law enforcers.

"Great progress," he said, "has been made in every state, judging from reports to me from state directors. Nationally, the progress has been nothing short of marvelous."

COST OF FOOD AND RENT UP; CLOTHING AND GAS GO DOWN

New York, Dec. 23.—The cost of living decreased 2.1 per cent between July 15 and Nov. 15, 1923, according to a survey by the National Industrial conference board, made public today.

The average cost of food, sundries, and rent increased during the thirty days ending Nov. 15, while clothing, gas, and electricity cost declined, the report stated. The survey disclosed also that the purchasing value of the dollar, based on the cost of living in November, was 60.5 cents as compared with one dollar in July, 1914.

HUGHES MAKES RED STECKLOF EAT HIS OWN WORDS

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—Acknowledgement of the connection between the soviet republic and the communist international was made in the Isvestia, the soviet organ, on Nov. 7, 1922, it was said today at the state department. The date was made public in connection with Moscow press despatches quoting Stecklof, the editor of the paper, as challenging Secretary Hughes to produce the date on which the article was printed.

Stecklof branded the document from which Mr. Hughes quoted in his recent statement dealing with Russian propaganda as a "forgery, probably purchased by the American secret police from some white guard organization, such as exist in Latvia for the express purpose of fabrication."

State department officials did not comment on these charges, merely furnishing the date asked for by the Russian editor, adding that the Isvestia was accessible in many of the large public libraries.

Previous statements of soviet officials that the documents quoted by the secretary of state were forgeries had brought the statement that such expressions in themselves were a form of propaganda designed to mislead the American public.

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W. C. T. U. HONORS ANNIVERSARY AT ITS BIRTHPLACE

Holds Allegiance Parade at Hillsboro, O.

(Picture on back page.)

Hillsboro, O., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—The streets of this southern Ohio town of 5,000 persons today were traversed by the "march of allegiance," commemorating the fiftieth anniversary of the start of the women's crusade, out of which grew the first organized dry movement in the country, the Women's Christian Temperance union.

The march today began at the First Presbyterian church, erected on the site of the old brick church out of which, in 1873, there came a little band of women on a strange journey. They were bound for the saloons of the town, which, by prayer and personal supplication to the owner, they hoped to close. Stops were made today at the many points where in 1873 the women had knelt and prayed in the barrooms and in the streets before them.

What the Women Sought.

The women of the "crusade" were not bent on a national or a state dry movement. They sought only to drive the liquor traffic out of their own town. They knew they had a hard task before them. The town had been settled by Virginians. The men of the "best families" believed in their toddies, and the husbands of some of the crusaders were among the most ardent believers. Even today some of the old time residents laughed as they recalled how some of the "leading men" went out of the back doors of the liquor places as their wives and friends came in the front.

Today's anniversary was of one day's length only. The original crusade extended over many days. Some of the many saloons surrendered on the first day, but others held out and fought back. The saloon owners went to the courts for injunctions to prevent the women entering their places of business; the women retired as far as the sidewalks in front and resumed their prayers; new injunctions closed the sidewalks to them, and they retired to the streets. But the crusade continued until all of the liquor places were closed.

Spreads to Other Towns.

The movement spread and prospered in other towns in Ohio. Following this the women decided to form a permanent organization. It was the W. C. T. U.

In the "march of allegiance" today were several aged women who took part in the original crusade. Among those who took part in the ceremonies in the church was Miss Anna Gordon, president of the National W. C. T. U. Other speakers were Dr. Howard H. Bushnell, organizer of the Anti-Saloon league, and Mrs. Florence D. Richards, president of the Ohio W. C. T. U.

SEEK EX-SOLDIER'S KIN.

The Chicago police have been requested to search for the parents or friends of George Johnson, believed to be of Chicago, who died Saturday, Dec. 22, in Lancaster, Pa. A soldier's bonus check gave C. E. Burke, 3158 North Sawyer avenue, as a friend.

Christmas Day
A Special Turkey Dinner
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Chicken or Cream of Oyster Soup
Roast Young Turkey with Dressing and Giblet Gravy
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CHIEF AIDS OF DE VALERA FREED BY IRISH STATE

"President of Republic" Kept in "Solitary."

DUBLIN, Dec. 23.—[By the Associated Press.]—The release of prisoners from internment camps and jails in the Free State continues rapidly. The character of the releases is noteworthy, for they include Republican deputies elected at the last election and even some of the members of Eamonn de Valera's rival Republican administration.

Some of the prominent fighters have been set at liberty, among them Joe M. Guirk, once a commandant in the irregular forces and one of the signatories of the republicans' proclamation when the four courts was seized and held against the Free State army.

Sean T. O'Kelly also has been released. He represented the Sinn Fein in Paris and Rome. He was arrested in July, 1922. It was stated at the time of his arrest that documents were found on him revealing the purpose of getting arms from America for the republicans. O'Kelly is a brother-in-law of Gen. Richard Mulcahy, minister of defense.

Robert Barton Also Freed.

Robert Barton, cousin of Erskine Childers, who has been in jail for more than a year, was freed also. Childers was executed by the Irish Free State authorities in November, 1922. Barton was one of the original signatories of the Irish treaty, but afterwards opposed it, saying that the treaty had been obtained by duress. He then joined the republicans.

Countess Markievicz, who was at large during the recent elections and was returned to the Dail Eireann for Dublin city, and later was a leading speaker at meetings in Dublin, is still detained by the government.

Eamon de Valera is in solitary confinement and, according to Kevin O'Higgins, the home minister, is occupying his time reading Einstein.

Cites Cosgrave's Pledge.

The Republican party's daily sheet alleges that a few days before the hunger strike in the prisons was abandoned William Cosgrave, president of the Dail Eireann, informed Ald. Tom Kelly that all the interned prisoners would be released, including De Valera, except those already tried and convicted. President Cosgrave is said to have thought Christmas too soon for the release of the prisoners, and it is admitted that the date for their release was not fixed.

MAN DECREED OWN DIVORCE IN EGYPT, B. C.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—An Egyptian divorce dated 283 B. C. has been discovered by a translator at the University of Pennsylvania museum among a collection of fifty rolls of ancient papyri unearthed recently at Thebes, Egypt, by Dr. Clarence S. Fisher, director of the University of Pennsylvania expedition. It was issued by a man named Amenhotep, who divorced his wife, Tahapy.

Dr. Nathanial Reich translated the divorce as follows:

"I have abandoned thee as wife. I am removed from thee in the right of a wife. I have said unto thee, 'Make for thyself a husband.' I shall not be able to stand before thee in any house to which thou shalt go—I have no claim on earth against thee in account of a wife today onwards, instantly, without delay and without a blow.'"

AUTO VICTIM

William Barrett, Tribune driver, who was killed in an auto accident.

QUICK, WATSON! 4 BEER CHECKS! PURPLE GARTERS!

With four beer checks as their clew, the police set out last night to unravel the mystery of a polite stranger. He was clad only in a union suit, a sack coat, and a pair of purple garters.

John Smale of 2223 North Ridgeway avenue encountered the man in that garb when he entered his basement to tend the furnace.

The stranger announced he was going to bed. Smale demurred, whereat the stranger apologized profusely and withdrew.

Ten minutes later Smale discovered overcoat, shirt, sox, shoes, and a pair of neatly folded trousers between the pickets of his rear fence. The pockets contined nothing except the beer checks.

Returns to Penitentiary to Spend 10th Christmas

James Palato, alias Frank Marino, will spend his tenth consecutive Christmas in the Joliet penitentiary. He escaped from prison last February, after serving only a portion of a thirty-five year sentence for murder. Yesterday police arrested him as he was attempting to hold up a man in West Madison street.

Monoxide Gas Wipes Out Paterson Family of Four

Paterson, N. J., Dec. 23.—Carbon monoxide gas wiped out the family of John Theodore Fill today. The dead are Fill, his wife, their son, 14, and daughter, 12. The bodies were found by another occupant of the apartment house.

Still No Hope in Sight for Snow on Christmas

Hope for snow on Christmas became more faint last night. The weather bureau's official forecast predicted little change in temperature today with moderate winds from the west. Not even a cold Christmas was in sight.

Chicagoan Gets Polish Red Cross Silver Medal

[Chicago Tribune Foreign News Service.]

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Dec. 23.—T. U. H. Ellinger of Chicago has been awarded the Polish Red Cross silver medal.

INSISTS FRANCE AND GERMANY ARE NEAR A BARGAIN

Poincare Says He Will Hold Ruhr Until Paid.

BY HENRY WALES.

[Chicago Tribune Foreign News Service.]
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PARIS, Dec. 23.—[Tribune Radio.]—On the eve of tomorrow's important conference between Premier Poincare and German Charge d'Affaires von Hoesch, the French premier today again defended his Ruhr policy. However, he clearly indicated France's willingness to open the door for new reparations negotiations. Speaking in the village of Courteve, which the premier decorated with the Croix de Guerre, President Poincare declared:

"We are in the Ruhr, and we will not leave until we are paid. But we are ready to examine any methods of regulation which will bring this payment quicker and more sure.

"We are not yet at the end of the road, but we are getting closer together every day."

Calls Statement Significant.

The premier's statements were considered most significant, in view of the fact that Herr von Hoesch will submit new instructions from Berlin concerning Germany's proposals regarding the Rhineland railway scheme.

Premier Poincare scored conferences as a substitute for direct action against Germany to enforce the treaty of Versailles.

"To prolong any of the powerless conferences, timid threats, and sterile negotiations would have meant condemning France, and we would not have received a centime in cash or an appreciable amount in deliveries in kind," he said. "It would have encouraged Germany to believe that the allies were gradually renouncing the treaty. After a war of usury we would have had a peace of usury. Germany would have seen in our weakness an encouragement towards the spirit of revenge. She would have stolen our victory."

Aided French Credit.

The premier declared that if France had not seised the Ruhr, French credit throughout the world would have been damaged, the franc would have dropped more than it has, while the country would have fallen under a great economic crisis.

Man on Whom Milk Cans Fell Dies of His Injuries

J. Goldworthy, 40, Union Grove, Wis., a brakeman for the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad, died here yesterday of injuries received Dec. 16 at Pacific Junction, Ill., when a stack of milk cans fell from a car on him. The cans weighed more than 100 pounds each.

FOOTPRINTS CLEW TO SLAYER.

Footprints ending in a prairie are the only trace Melrose Park police have found of the 6 foot stranger, who murdered John Cerioni, employed by the Indiana Harbor Belt railroad, in Proviso Saturday. A fellow worker is being held for questioning.

GERMANS FORGET WOES TO PREPARE FOR CHRISTMAS

Buy American Corned Beef for Dinner.

BY SIGRID SCHULTZ.

[Chicago Tribune Foreign News Service.]
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BERLIN, Dec. 23.—[Tribune Radio.]—Today has been the first "golden Sunday" in Germany since the outbreak of the war—golden because in ages past all the shops kept open on the Sunday before Christmas and the poulation indulged in a riot of Christmas shopping, to the joy of the shopkeepers.

The population was true to the centuries old tradition today. The shops were open from 1 until 5 o'clock this afternoon. At 12 o'clock thousands were already window shopping on the main business streets of the town.

All the streets in the center of the town were lined on one side with Christmas booths, lit up with dinky oil lamps and a few stray Christmas candles, and on the other side, huddled against the wall every ten feet, were blind beggars and their dogs, alternating with cripples or mothers with a baby carriage full of pale children.

Sells United States Corned Beef.

Most astonishing among the Christmas booths, which always were proud of themselves for their novelties, were those built of American corned beef cans, piled into miniature towers and surmounted by Christmas candles. They were selling corned beef, "a great delight for your family, the most nourishing food ever tasted." The dealers were not selling cans of corned beef—that would be extravagant. They were selling corned beef in slices, since their whole capital was generally not more than three tins, or five pounds.

There were hot dogs, some trees and Christmas tree trimmings for sale. Toys and many other toys for which Germany and the German fairs used to be known had almost entirely disappeared.

More Generous Help for Poor.

Sales have been good throughout Berlin and Germany. The population, which has grown more hopeful since the issue of the rentenmark, finds it possible to guess incomes and expenses and thus was able to solve the riddle of giving to relatives and friends as well as to give small presents to those in need or out of jobs. The newspapers, which had been collecting money for the needy for Christmas, announce that contributions came in more generously than previously.

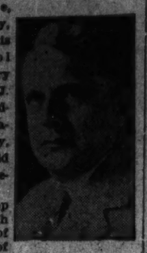
It is undeniable that optimism is showing signs of life in the last two days. Officials yesterday announced that this week brought work for 5,000 job less, and tonight the National Zeitung says in a headline, "Franco-German Relations Improved," thus trying to increase the Christmas cheer.

Shoots Brother of the Girl Who Refused to Marry Him

Recently Carmen Favato, who lives near Taylor and Halsted streets, sought in vain to marry the sister of Pasquale Amico, 1449 West Taylor street. Last night he bumped into Amico as the latter was leaving a neighborhood grocery store with his wife. Words were exchanged, and then Favato shot Amico just below the heart. Police are searching for Favato.

OLD FASHIONED BELIEFS UPHELD BY LABOR CHIEF

Sharon, Pa., Dec. 23.—Standing in the pulpit of the little Welsh Baptist church here, where, as a boy, he recited his Sunday school lessons, Secretary of Labor James J. Davis today pleaded for a "workaday Christianity, for the true, old fashioned religion.



JAMES J. DAVIS. [U. & U.]

"I hold a deep and abiding faith in the firmness of the foundation of the true religion, and I can see but little in the future for those who seek to tear down that foundation," said Mr. Davis. "To my mind true science and true religion can march forward hand in hand, and science need not seek to destroy that for which Christmas stands.

"In these days of many strange and weird beliefs we must hold fast to our faith in God, else neither individual nor nation can endure. I will take my religion in the old fashioned way. We are becoming so modern in everything that some of us are even trying to modernize God.

"There can be no excuse for the schismatic who seeks to pull down a whole religious structure because he finds fault with one of the timbers which has gone into its building.

"I like the old fashioned preacher, whose sermon comes from his heart and soul as well as from his mind. His is no coldly statistical religion charted by mental engineers and analyzed by theological chemists. He rests his faith on the Bible, the greatest book the world has ever known."

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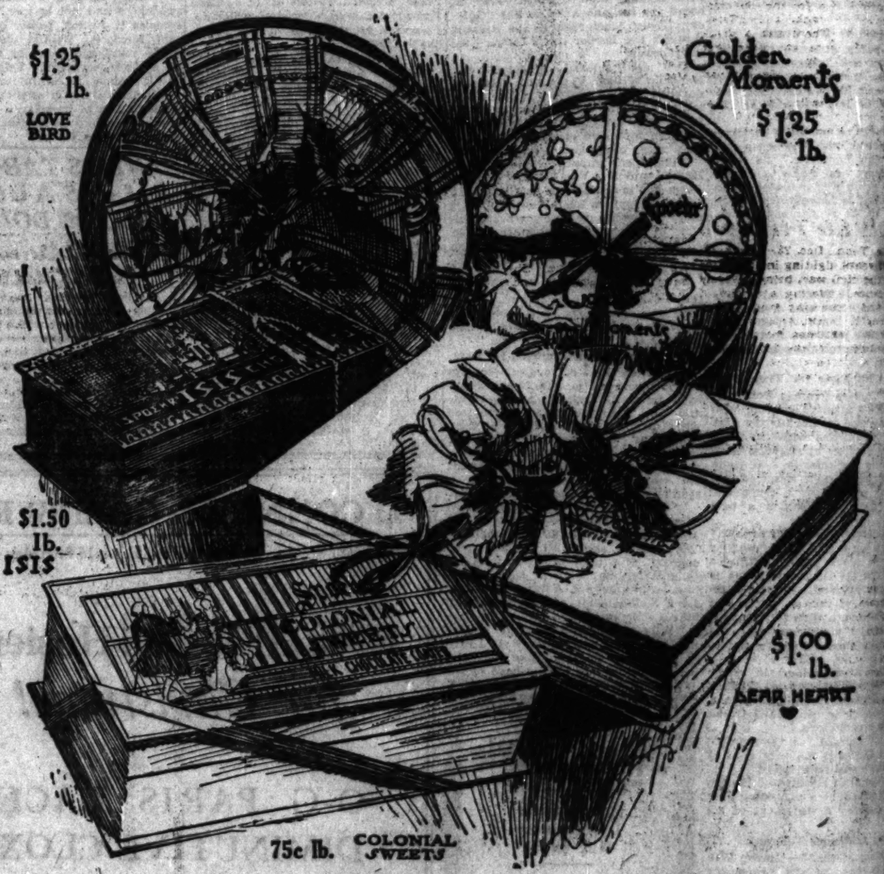

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FIRES IN TWO SCHOOLS BLAMED ON BOY GANGS

Officers Seek Hoodlums as Cause of Damage.

Police and fire department officials yesterday took up the trail of a supposed gang of "hoodlum fire bugs," following the serious damage by fire to the second south side school building within a week.

The latest fire supposed to have been accidentally set off by a gang of boys occurred at the Stephen A. Douglas school at 3711 Giles avenue and caused a $10,000 damage.

No Janitors on Duty.

As in the case of a similar blaze at the Forrestville school, 4439 South Lawrence avenue on Dec. 19, the fire started on the first floor and quickly spread through class rooms to the third. No watchman or janitor was on duty on account of the holiday season, and the flames had made considerable headway before noticed.

A 4-11 alarm brought Marshal Edward Buckley and Fire Attorney Elmer Whitty to the scene.

Of Incendiary Origin.

"Both these school fires were undoubtedly incendiary, but perhaps were not of accidentally," declared Lieut. Thomas Fitzgerald, of Engine Co. 126. "I believe a rascally bunch of young boys of the neighborhood has got into the habit of slipping into the school buildings at night."

Lieut. Fitzgerald said he had assigned Investigator Thomas Canavan to make an inquiry.

N. Y. C. ENGINES COLLIDE, 600 ON TRAIN SHAKEN

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French Hydroplane Sets New World's Speed Record

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FIRES IN TWO SCHOOLS BLAMED ON BOY GANGS

Officers Seek Hoodlums as Cause of Damage.

Police and fire department officials yesterday took up the trail of a supposed gang of "hoodlum fire bugs," following the serious damage by fire to the second south side school building within a week.

The latest fire supposed to have been accidentally set off by a gang of boys, occurred at the Stephen A. Douglas school at 3211 Giles avenue and caused a $15,000 damage.

No Janitors on Duty.

As in the case of a similar blaze at the Forrestville school, 4439 St. Lawrence avenue on Dec. 19, the fire started on the first floor and quickly spread through class rooms to the third. No watchman or janitor was on duty on account of the holiday season and the flames had made considerable headway before noticed.

A 4-11 alarm brought Marshal Edward Buckley and Fire Attorney Elmer Wadey to the scene.

Of Incendiary Origin.

"Both these school fires were undoubtedly incendiary, but perhaps were not set off accidentally," declared Lieut. Thomas Fitzgerald, of Engine Co. 19. "I believe a rascally bunch of young boys of the neighborhood has got into the habit of slipping into the school buildings at night."

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GOING TO TAKE SOME MEASUREMENTS

READY TO ENJOY XMAS AT AGE OF NINETY-EIGHT

Mrs. Lucinda A. Blodgett is preparing to celebrate her ninety-eighth Christmas tomorrow in the home at 2404 West 63 place where she has lived since 1884. Born on Dec. 20, 1825, in Denmark, N. Y., she is the last of her mother's nine children. Two half brothers aged 79 and 87 are still living in California. Mrs. Blodgett has a son, Melvin O. Blodgett, and a daughter, Mrs. L. F. Crayton, with [illegible] whom she now lives. She reads the daily paper regularly and also many recent books.

MRS. L. A. BLODGETT.

Youth, Held as Swindler, Claims Father Is Wealthy

Twenty year old Thomas Crittenden, who claims he is the son of a wealthy Alabama lumberman, was held at the detective bureau yesterday for defrauding a dozen loop stores out of more than $1,000 in cash and merchandise. With $50 in a south side bank under the name of Douglas Langford, he raised the amount in his check book to $750. Then he obtained a fire insurance policy. Using these as guarantees of his integrity, the police declare, he prevailed upon various stores to cash his checks when he made Christmas purchases.

20 MEXICANS HELD IN SHOOTING.

Twenty-nine Mexicans are being held by the New City police in connection with the possibly fatal wounding of José Argis, 29 years old, who was shot over a card game yesterday at 4818 South Ashland avenue.

DOOMED TO DIE, EVICTED, GIRL, 13, SMILES TILL END

Series of Misfortunes Held U. S. Interest.

Camden, N. J., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—With a smile on her face, and begging her mother not to worry, "for I am going to the angels," Helen Hamilton, 13, whose illness—a ruptured heart—had attracted nation wide attention after she and her mother had been evicted from their $6 furnished room here, died today at the home of Mrs. May Schock, her mother's friend.

Up to the moment when she closed her eyes, physicians, long since agreeing her case was hopeless, declared they had never seen such a heroic fight.

Yesterday the physicians informed Mrs. Hamilton that Helen could not live more than twenty-four hours. The child asked that a small Christmas tree be brought into her room. A tree laden with toys and bright lights was placed close to her bed. Throughout the night Helen gazed at the tree, and continued to smile, and held her mother's hand until the end.

About eight years ago Helen was on her way to school with two little companions when they pushed her in a post hole "just for fun." She was covered over and the dirt piled high almost to suffocation. She suffered a rupture of the heart as a result, and her strange malady attracted wide attention.

About two months ago, when her case was given up and declared hopeless, Mrs. Hamilton removed the child from the hospital and took her to her furnished room at 317 Linden street, this city.

The house is owned by Mrs. Maggie Rogers, who refused to have the child in the house, and on Nov. 17 evicted Mrs. Hamilton and the girl. Mrs. Hamilton had paid $6 a month for the furnished room. They went to live with a friend.

TWO MEN AND A PIG PINCHED; PIG IS SET FREE

"A man has been shot and killed at 2546 Lawrence avenue," was the telephonic report which startled police of the Summerdale station Saturday night.

Hurrying to that address, detectives found Frank Bartzen of 4850 North California avenue and C. C. Hartwig of 4852 Hutchinson street pursuing a pig about the newly opened office of the North Town Real Estate exchange. The pig's breath, like that of others present, smelled strongly of libation.

Hartwig and Bartzen—the latter the son of the late Peter "Fighting" Bartzen, formerly of the country board and sanitary district—will be arraigned in Shefield avenue court today on a disorderly conduct charge. The pig, after sleeping off the fumes, was released.

Robber, 22, Arrested 91 Times, Killed in Holdup

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 23.—Charles Crowe, 22, gangster, previously arrested ninety-one times, was killed today when he and four other masked youths, attempted to hold up a tobacco store. Harry Abeln, 33, was seriously wounded by a bandit's bullet when he and his brother refused "to stick 'em up quick."

GOOD FELLOWS SEE THAT SANTA MISSES NO ONE

Every Poor Child in City to Receive Gifts.

Tonight—Christmas eve—one of the largest and certainly the most enthusiastic legion of Good Fellows the city has known, laden with toys, nuts, and candies, goes into the byways to spread a blanket of happiness that will warm the heart of every poor boy and girl in Chicago. Reports last night from the Good Fellow headquarters gave assurance that every family that needs help will be taken care of by a Good Fellow.

Presages Great Day.

And with this report comes the prediction that this will be Chicago's happiest Christmas. Not in many years have the Good Fellows given their help to such an extent that on the day before Christmas there were no families left uncared for. Such a response to the call for Good Fellows can mean only one thing — that there will be great joy and happiness throughout the entire city.

These Good Fellows will have the time of their lives tonight. Their arms loaded with gifts, they will leave their comfortable homes and go to the homes of the poor, folks who are frequently breadless, generally clotheless as the standard of the average person goes, always penniless. They will take into these ill kept places the Christmas spirit, the Christmas story, and Christmas gifts.

Happiness Their Reward.

The Good Fellows will give engines, skidmobiles, wheelbarrows, doll houses, wooly dogs, tin toy autos, gifts of all sorts, to the kids. They will have as a reward the happiness of the children and the gratitude of their mothers, who did not expect Santa Claus. They will know that they have saved some children the disillusionment that comes with empty stockings.

Additional contributions received yesterday and Saturday by the Good Fellow department:

W. P. Murphy	$500	W. B.	5
Gamma Beta Tau	5	Lillian Hall Travillian	5
Miss May Sokup	30	W. M. D. Brown	5
A. M. Simonson	5	head	5
Goodfellow	5	Louis Borsody	5
W. H. B.	1	Gladys Rockmore	5
M. E. T.	2	C. A.	10
J. M. Y.	2	Mrs. Pearle B.	
Bowdell Circle	10	McClellan	10
J. A. M.	2	Mr. and Mrs. J.	
W. C. Smith	2	E. Sanford	3
Miss E. [illegible]	2	Elizabeth M. Divine	2
W. E. Donahue	10	Mrs. W. J. Moore	10
M. H. G.	1	Mrs. R. F. Kelner	10
Mrs. R. F. Kelner	10	E. J.	1
S. K.	2	Gale Block Jr.	5
A. Harrington	2	Clementina Spencer Mowyer	1
H. M. Sillito	5	A. B. Anderson	5
Julia Hofeller	5	Miner T. Richards	5
Mrs. L. M. Stein	25	A. L.	5
M. J. H.	5	Mark S. Hammond	2
Marion Gray	5	George B. Smith	5
H. A. Mertiger	10	Employes of the Lake View Trust and Savings Bank	50
W. D. G.	10	Phi Delta Gamma Epsilon Chapter	15
Goodfellow Friend	2	Employes of National Association of Stationers, Office Outfitters and Manufacturers	9
S. C.	2	Anonymous	45
I. C. Lovejoy	5		
J. B.	3		
Mrs. R. Fruning	2		
Donald J. Lehmer	5		
F. C. Alexander	1		
H. M. Gimlin	10		
J. H. Wilson	5		
A. H. Humphrey	5		
James R. Oest	2		
Julie M. North	10		
Dr. B. A. Hamilton	5		
Bertha Giramer	25		

TODAY'S THE DAY POOR KIDS HAVE BIG YULE PARTY

3 Theaters Scene of Santa's Visits.

BY LOUISE JAMES BARGELT.

Today's the day of the three big Christmas parties to be given to the poor children of Chicago in the Lubliner and Trinz motion picture theaters.

Santa Claus will be at each party and will give candy, nuts, and presents to each child present. There will be all kinds of exciting moving pictures, too, the theater owners have procured the finest films available for the little folks. The parties will start at 2 o'clock sharp this afternoon.

Here Are Three Theaters.

The Michigan theater, at 55th street and Michigan avenue, holds several thousand persons, so the poor children of the south side will be well taken care of.

It looks as though the Senate theater, at Kedzie avenue and Madison street on the west side, would be filled to overflowing, judging from the number of children who have asked to attend the party.

Then there is the Pantheon theater on the north side, for the children of that district.

The tickets which have been mailed out are good at any of these three theaters today. They also are good at any of the Lubliner and Trinz theaters during all this week, so if anything happens that you can't attend the Christmas party, you can use the tickets later.

A Treat for Poor Children.

The tickets, 10,000 in number, were mailed out last week to the poor children. The children are those known to the different settlement and neighborhood houses; children of the orphanages, half orphanages, training schools, and nurseries, and of poor families being taken care of by Good Fellows. The party is the second annual affair for which Lubliner and Trinz have given the use of their theaters.

McVicker's theater gives its first performance this morning for poor boys and girls who can't afford the price of a ticket. Tickets may be had by writing the Good Fellow department of THE TRIBUNE, 11 South Dearborn street, or by calling there any time.

"The Big Brother" is the film being shown this week.

Once more—don't forget the parties today. All start at 2 o'clock sharp.

WOMEN IN BLACK VEILS SEE POPE CONFER RED HATS

ROME, Dec. 23.—[By the Associated Press.]—The public consistory for the formal elevation of Cardinals Evariste Lucidi and Aurelio Galli, who were created at the secret consistory last Thursday, took place this morning in the Vatican.

The cardinal vice chancellor of the Roman church administered the oath of loyalty to the constitution of the sacred college, which each new cardinal took. Meanwhile the pope, attired in his red cope and the miter of golden fleece, was borne to the Hall of Benediction by twelve carriers in the famous "sedia gestatoria." Attending him were the Swiss guards, the cardinals and the Sistine choir.

All available room in the sala regia had been taken by the many spectators—the men in evening clothes, the women in black, with black veils enveloping their heads. As the pontiff's train entered the assemblage knelt. The pope then conferred the red hats.

SEEK PARENTS OF RAIL VICTIM.

Chicago police were asked to find the parents of George A. Johnson, who was killed Saturday in Lancaster, Pa. In his pocket was found an Illinois bonus check. He had served in the Marine corps.

HERALDS A CURE FOR LOCOMOTOR ATAXIA VICTIMS

Rockefeller Institute Has Remedy, Doctor Says.

Columbus, O., Dec. 23.—The Rockefeller institute soon is to release to physicians a new specific called tryparasamid, or A-63, which is asserted to show a 50 per cent result in the treatment of paresis and locomotor ataxia, according to a story appearing today in the Ohio State Journal, which gives Dr. H. M. Brundage of Columbus as its authority.

Fifty per cent cures was declared by Dr. Brundage to be far in excess of results obtained by any previously known specific for these two diseases.

Dr. Brundage's announcement was made this week in an address before the managing officers of Ohio's institutions for the insane and was hailed by him as a remedy that would restore many insane persons to normal social activity.

The specific's greatest virtue was declared to lie in the fact that the drug possessed an affinity for tissues of the central nervous system and can be injected into the veins.

Roosevelt-Wilson Clubs Formed for N. Y. Election

Binghamton, N. Y., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Roosevelt and Wilson clubs are to be organized throughout the southern tier of the state to campaign for the nomination and election of Theodore Roosevelt for governor and Thomas A. Wilson for lieutenant governor.

WORKMAN FATALLY SCALDED

John McCoy, colored, of 837 South State street, was scalded to death yesterday when a boiler exploded in the basement of a building at 4636 Broadway.

eve

—and the evening wore on! Well, what did the evening wear? Why, the *clothes* of the day, of course!

So a wag puts it, and then asks:

Aren't all evening clothes "the clothes of the day," if smart and up-to-date like those you find at "our convenient corner"?

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LOS ANGELES—406 HAAS BUILDING.
LONDON—135 FLEET STREET, E. C. 4.
PARIS—1 RUE SCRIBE.
BERLIN—1 UNTER DEN LINDEN.
ROME—HOTEL EXCELSIOR.
PEKING—GRAND HOTEL DES WAGONS-LITS.
SHANGHAI—4 AVENUE EDWARD VII.
TOKIO—IMPERIAL HOTEL.
MEXICO CITY—HOTEL PRINCESS.

"Our Country! In her intercourse with foreign nations may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong."
Stephen Decatur.

THE TRIBUNE'S PLATFORM FOR CHICAGO

1—Build the Subway Now.
2—Abate the Smoke Evil.
3—Stop Reckless Driving.
4—Elevated Sidewalks Downtown.

O LORD, HOW LONG?

Ald. Wiley W. Mills has given the council committee on local transportation a resolution asking for a survey of the subway question in Chicago. That's a new idea. Mr. Mills wants to know if a subway should be built and why. If it can be built and how? Would it really do any good if it were built? Can we keep the buildings standing up if we put a tunnel in the streets? Does the clay subsoil indicate that Chicago must develop as a kick town?

Mr. Mills is a daring innovator. Jumping back thirty years he wants to tackle this subject vigorously and scientifically. Although daring, Mr. Mills is not one to jump in the dark. Mr. Dever is by all odds the best mayor the city has had in nine years, if not longer, but in the dark he is right at Mr. Mills' elbow. They were pals in L. M. O. days and both believe now that it will do the straphanger a lot of good if the city owns the straps but will not do him much good if the city owns the subways. It is all right for the citizen to waste his life in antiquated municipally owned surface cars, but dead wrong for him to speed it up a little in municipally owned subway trains. Municipal ownership, in the opinion of its advocates, has its limitations. For it to be any good the thing possessed must be no good. There may be something in that, although we don't say so.

The city already has spent about $750,000 in various investigations of traction matters, but it will take more money than that to get an idea into Mr. Dearborn's official head. It has the resistance of armor plate and the idea seems to have the strength of a popgun.

We suggest that Mr. Mills father a real investigation, as follows:

1. What is a subway?
2. What is New York?
3. Has New York subways?
4. Why?
5. Are the New York subways used?
6. Why?
7. Is a subway better than horse cars and why?
8. Are they used anywhere else in the world and where and why?
9. Is it because we have a clay subsoil that we have the mental vigor of clay eaters?

The prevailing theory is that if we buy up the mile an hour systems now in private hands and eliminate left turns in the loop we'll be sitting pretty. Yes, it's not only bananas we have not. It's also something else that begins with b.

THE NEEDS OF NATIONAL DEFENSE.

In the last regular report he will make as chief of staff of the United States army—the last if nothing to prevent his retirement occurs—Gen. Pershing asks that the regular army be restored to the number of 150,000 enlisted men and 13,000 officers. Mr. Coolidge, in his message to congress, has not thought fit to back this recommendation specifically, but he warns that "for several years we have been decreasing the personnel of the army and navy and reducing their power to the danger point." Therefore, he declares, "further reductions should not be made," and "both services should be strengthened rather than weakened." He makes mention specifically of the army's need of more airplanes and the navy's of more submarines, but for the detailed requirements of defense the press and public must turn to the reports of the secretaries of war and the navy.

Both the army and the navy have been cut to the bone. Civilian training and the work of the National Guard have been restricted and hampered. The navy even as now reduced under the Washington treaty is undermanned, and some important practices required for battle efficiency have been cut down or omitted. We do not elaborate the fact, but we urge that the new congress adopt a safer and more farsighted policy in dealing with defense requirements than its predecessors. Mr. Coolidge may be depended upon to impose a proper measure of economy and has the agency in the bureau of the budget to do so; the war department and the navy have, we understand, cooperated loyally for retrenchment. But there is a retrenchment which is not true economy but waste, and we think congress should consider its constitutional duty to provide for the common defense by keeping the first line of defense, our navy, in full fighting trim at all times, and by appropriating whatever sum is required for maintaining a regular army large enough to fulfill all the duties imposed upon it by the defense act, for encouraging the growth of the Guard and the reserve, and for providing instruction for every patriotic civilian who seeks it. The defense act provides a system which, to fulfill its object, our national security, must be a continuing activity. To let that process run down or lapse is a crime against the nation.

The United States is not poor. The nation needs relief from taxation and the people wish its government to practice strict economy. But the navy and the army should be maintained in efficiency. We can afford so to maintain them. We cannot afford to fail to do so.

HAMTRAMCK.

Hamtramck, a city of 60,000 inhabitants situated within the limits of Detroit, is making a bid for fame. At a recent mass meeting of its residents demands were voiced for "Polish rule," evacuation of the state police, and removal of all but Polish people from the community. A judge of the federal court was harshly criticised for an attack on the local liquor situation, and a local justice was hooed into silence when he attempted to speak in English in defense of the federal court. He was told that only the Polish tongue should be heard.

That reveals a situation which cannot be overlooked. The persons responsible for that meeting and its actions are not American in thought, spirit, or practice, whether they are naturalized citizens or not. Either something within themselves or something in America has prevented them from becoming American, and has kept them Poles at heart. It reveals a grave menace to American institutions and democratic government.

It is not a theory but a fact. The question is, how to correct it. The normal processes of time would do so, if allowed to operate. Intermarriage with Americans, or other races in America, the growing use of a common language, the influence of the public schools and of American social customs upon the rising generation would eventually break up any such racial consciousness and solidarity. But no such influences have operated effectively upon those responsible for the demonstration cited.

That is unfortunate, but true. It is also unfortunate, but true, that resentment of this situation, expressed in the ordinary American attitude toward the Poles, or toward Italians, Greeks, Asiatics, and to a lesser extent toward Germans, Scandinavians, Irish, or British, tends to drive these people still more closely together. That is deplorable. But it does not justify ignoring the fact that an alien-minded community of 60,000 souls, established in one of our greatest industrial cities, violently resents the use of the American language and government under American laws. That is a danger which must be understood if the present congress is to take essential action toward eliminating such danger.

Time and associations will correct in future generations the evils now apparent in this community. But neither time nor associations will correct the present evil. That can be done only by further restricting the influx of aliens which has been so great as to build up such communities in the present generation. Even if the next generation is Americanized the benefit will be comparatively slight if we develop more such communities of new alien immigrants. What we need is time to absorb those we have without the handicap of adding more unassimilable at the same time.

It happens that the Poles of Hamtramck are the inspiration of this discussion. That is incidental. The same thought applies to Italian, Greek, Asiatic, or other racially conscious colonies of alien-minded peoples, wherever located throughout the United States.

BOLSHEVIK BLUFF.

Moscow doesn't like Mr. Hughes' remarks on the Red Russian regime. A good deal of excitement is said to have been shown at the Kremlin. We hope that is true. It would be a good sign. Meanwhile Tchitcherin, the foreign minister, does a characteristic thing. He tries to put Mr. Hughes on trial. For insolence the bolshevik government has never had a rival in our time. And the scheme sometimes works. If you are caught climbing out of a window with the family silver in a gunnysack, accuse the policeman. You may not convince any one, but in that case you're no worse off.

Tchitcherin registers righteous indignation. He declares the documents on which Mr. Hughes relies are forgeries, and he summons Mr. Hughes to prove they are not forgeries before "any impartial court of arbitration."

One would think that the United States is begging for Russian recognition. Mr. Hughes is asking nothing. He has told Moscow why he does not recommend recognition. He is satisfied with his reasons. So are the majority of the American people, Reds and parlor pinks excepted. It is up to Tchitcherin and his government to show Mr. Hughes he is mistaken. It is up to Tchitcherin to prove forgery.

Of course, Tchitcherin knows this. He is trying the usual bluff. Moscow has bluffed successfully in Europe. At worst the bluff falls and Moscow has no moral credit to be hurt by the failure. So Tchitcherin registers indignation. Think of it, Mr. Hughes charges Moscow with Red propaganda. Mr. Hughes does not distinguish between the soviet government and the Red Internationale. The same men control both, but Mr. Hughes ought to see that the soviet government cannot lawfully be charged with the acts of the Internationale. Every man in the soviet government is bolshevik and bolshevism has as its central policy the leading of the workers of the world to the overthrow of capitalism. Its avowed purpose is revolution and the establishment of the dictatorship of the proletariat throughout the world. That purpose has been cried from the housetops—when it was safe—but Mr. Hughes must prove it or be condemned—by Tchitcherin.

Bolshevik insolence and crookedness combined, and there will be echoes of that buncombe in congress. We wait to hear from Brookhart and Norris and Frear.

Editorial of the Day

SANTA CLAUS MONEY.

[Boston Herald.]

The Christmas club checks this year amounted to more than $211,000,000. Some 5,500 banking institutions the country over distributed that huge sum in checks to the number of 5,462,000, and in individual amounts ranging from $12.50 to $1,000. The uses to which the investors put their checks may be surmised from the analyses computed by a few selected banks in different localities where the plan has been in operation for ten consecutive years. As averaged these analyses show that 25 per cent of the savings thus accumulated is redeposited for permanent savings account, that 11 per cent is used to pay taxes, 7 per cent to pay insurance premiums, 4 per cent to pay mortgage interest, 2 per cent to pay fixed charges maturing in December, and 45 per cent is used for the purposes implied by the name of the system and is expended as Santa Claus money. Any plan that teaches the value of saving and induces thrift is to be commended and encouraged. These Christmas clubs accommodate persons who can save only a few cents each week for fifty weeks and no investor deposits more than a few dollars a week. They have made Christmas happier for many and by them not a few have been started on the road to prosperity.

A LINE O' TYPE OR TWO

How to the Line, let the quips fall where they may.

THE VISIT FROM SANTA CLAUS.

'Twas the night before Christmas, when all through the flat
Ev'rybody was sleeping—yes, even the cat—
And all was as tight and as snug as a drum,
Awaiting dear Santa, who was billed soon to come.
Pa put on his nightie and I sang a song,
And then we sat down to play at ma jong;
When out of our window there rose such a hum
That Pa softly muttered, "The milkman has come!"
I pulled up the curtain and took a look out,
To find what the shootin' was all about.
I saw then a sight that made my heart skip,
For right in our yard sailed a cute little ship,
That sped right along with nary a pause,
And up on her bridge stood old Santa Claus.
He roared and shouted and yelled at his crew—
He certainly told those boys what to do:
"Stand by the aft anchor! Now cast off her head!
Pipe all hands on deck! Is the stabbord watch dead?
Two points nor'-nor'east—gosh ding it, dad burn!
Way enough! Way enough! Now then—hard astern!
I hate this durn yacht, it bores me to tears,
I wish I were back with my sleigh and reindeers.
Look out there, you helmsman! You're dumb as an ox!
The first thing you know, we'll be piled on the rocks.
Now give her half-speed, hold her down, keep her slow!
Now then—with your anchor—all ready—let go!"
The yacht rode at anchor, the hatches came off,
And soon donkey-engines spluttered and coughed.
"Break out them there presents!" yelled Santa Claus then,
"We can't stay here long. Now, lively, you men!"
Up came the presents and on deck were arranged,
And I could see Santa khew that our climate had changed.
There were ducks, bathing suits and panama hats,
Rubber boots and umbrellas and lawn tennis bats,
And anchors and slickers, and cork vests and boats,
And diving suits, bell-buoys, canoes and raincoats.
With a pack on his back, Santa Claus swam ashore,
And into our stockings the presents did pour.
Then, with a wink, he swam back to his yacht
And pulled up the anchor as quick as a shot,
"Shake out," cried Cap Santy, "the old mizzen sheet,
And lay a straight course right down Dearborn street."
So, away went the yacht o'er the North Clark street main,
But before it was gone I heard Santa exclaim:
"The climate may change, but you bet I'm still here;
Merry Christmas to all—and a happy New Year."

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THE GUARDIANS.

R. H. L.: Many times after a slugging, weary fight, and we of the 165th infantry had finally reached our objective, and were hanging on by the skin of our teeth, praying to God that the G. I. Cans and other things Jerry was slamming over, would miss us, shivering in our wet misery, counting our dead and wounded, our morale clear down in our soggy shoes, why, then, all at once, those blessed 75s would begin to bark behind us, and straightway we would heave a prayer of relief and thankfulness, and lie right down in the mud and go to sleep. And pleasant were our dreams. For through the dreary night the angels guarded us; the angels and the 149th Field Artillery.

DOUGHBOY.

MAROONED.

The holidays have come. Vast crowds of students have left for home. I stay on, alone. Rushing crowds of people on the streets. They are not my people. The hill deserted. Bascom Hall closed. No co-eds in the Chocolate Shop. No studies sitting on the pool tables in Morgan's. No dilapidated flivvers stalled on University avenue. No ROTC uniforms. No wolf-hound hanging around Science Hall. Just the Capitol, and the University, and Madison, and me. ARGON THE LAST.

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MAN—FAST 40, TO ASSIST MANAGER EXterminating business. KAUFMAN, 836 Riverst.—The W. G. N., via C. H.

BUT, as Cal would say, does one have to advertise to get that kind of help?

ADDING TO THE HORRORS OF WAR.

Dear R. H. L.: I like your attitude on everything except the bonus, Walter Camp, and all the other things you touch on. Do you write ads for the Sat. Eve. Post, too? Personally I am opposed to permiting the national treasury to be looted by ex-service men. I know this Three and Two-Stripe outfit. They tried to make me salute them in Brest. I have decided not to take an active part in the next war, too. I am going to send Congressional Records and Y secretaries to the boys in the trenches. LORD JIM.

YES, INDEED.

(Scene—The W. G. N. office yesterday afternoon.)

KRUM (loading Good Fellow boxes)—"How about a doll for this 11 year old girl? Do 11 year old girls play with dolls?"

DWYER—"Sure! I've seen 65 year old boys playing with dolls."

Exit! This way out.

THAT SECOND ONE IS A DOODLEBUG.

Dear R. H. L.: The peace dove is cooing "Coo-Coo-Coolidge! Coo-Coo-Coolidge!" But listen! A second bird is crying, "McAdoo'idoo! McAdoo'idoo-o! McAdoo'idoo-o-o-o!" C. E. P.

BUT WE DON'T WANT 'EM OUT.

466SU SE 34 NL 8 SEND IND DQ 22 23 RHL X1232 CHI THERES A GUY DOWN HERE NAMED DAVE WHO CLAIMS THAT THE EIGHTY NINTH DIVISION WON IT STOP LETS HURRY UP AND DECIDE STOP MAYBE WE CAN GET THE BOYS OUT OF THE LINE BY CHRISTMAS. JYRENE

THIS IS WHY.

Dear R. H. L.: Do I dare? Or have I missed part of the Line? Why have we not yet had "*Yes! We Have no Bananas!*"? THE A. P. M.

WHEN all the papers published photographs of a card bearing that wheeze which had been hung in Leo's office, Harvey Help-Help and us feared the worst. We knew it would roll in every few minutes. What to do? We shook dice to decide the matter, and Harvey Help-Help was stung.

YOU TELL HER YOURSELF.

Sir: In the column the other morning I noted that Kwite C2K is in distress and unable to locate "Fair was she to behold, this maiden of seventeen summers." It is the purpose of this message to give Kwite direction in this connection. Please tell her to look in Whittier's "Miles Standish."

C. C. N.

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The marriage of Miss Margaret M. Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Jones, will take place at 8:30 p. m. Dec. 29 in the family residence. Dr. David H. Jones will officiate. S. Raymond Thornburg will act as best man. Miss Florence K. Jones will be the maid of honor and Miss Alice Anne Jones the flower girl.

—*The Chi. Eve. Jour., by E. V. P.*

AH, BUT for the formal wedding, my dear, it's customary to have one.

OUI, THE NONNEST NON RES THERE IS.

R. H. L.: Extract from the minutes of a meeting of an exclusive north side club:

"It was moved and seconded that the name of Leo Korets be transferred to the list of non-resident members." HOWIE.

GOV. DONAHEY of Ohio, in announcing that he and his son would personally cook the family Christmas dinner, said: "We aren't going to let the women folks come near the kitchen. The menu will be pickled pigs' feet and sauerkraut." Well, Gov., you won't have to call out the National Guard to keep us from coming. R. H. L.

How to Keep Well, By Dr. W. A. Evans.

Questions pertinent to hygiene, sanitation, and prevention of disease, of matters of general interest, will be answered in this column. Where space will not permit, or the subject is not suitable, letters will be personally answered, subject to proper limitations, and where a stamped, addressed envelope is inclosed. Dr. Evans will not make a diagnosis or prescribe for individual diseases. Requests for such service cannot be answered.

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WHY THEY CAN'T HOLD JOBS

DR. H. M. ADLER once made a study of personality in relation to employment. It is a well known fact that some men can never hold a job. When they get jobs, they themselves quit after a few days, giving first one excuse or another, or they are fired by the boss, who gives one excuse or another, or the fellow employés throw them out by either direct or indirect action.

The longer the members of this dissatisfied fraternity stay in places of employment, the more harm they do. At least, that is often the case. In flush times dissatisfaction is about as catching as the smallpox, while even in hard times it is contagious, say about as contagious as pneumonia.

These are all well recognized facts. Adler's contribution to the knowledge of the subject consisted in proof that unemployable people are apt to have diseased personalities. They have sick dispositions, and since many of them have had the ailment since childhood, they are "set in their ways." They probably will always remain unemployed and unemployable.

But unemployment, unemployability, and high labor turnover are not always matters of disposition. Marion A. Bills of the Carnegie Institute of Technology studied the relation of intelligence to sticking to the job in a large office force. An intelligence test was made of the force. The employés were divided into three groups: The highly intelligent, scoring over 110; those of medium intelligence, scoring 90 to 110, and those of lower intelligence, scoring less than 90. The jobs were grouped into five groups. Group A required least intelligence and alertness; group E was at the top of the scale.

Thirty months later an investigation was made to discover what proportion of the employés were still on the job. It was found that all of the men of high intelligence found in the low intelligence jobs had quit. Two-thirds of the low intelligence people were still holding their jobs. At the other end of the line, in the grade E jobs, more than one-half the high intelligence men were still on the job. Two-thirds of the low intelligence men had left their jobs.

This study shows that choosing a job that fits one's mental abilities tends to make the job permanent. Conversely, if an employer hires a man and puts him in a job either higher or lower than the man's mental level, the employment is not liable to be permanent. In other words, employers should know how to rate mental ability as well as disposition.

I have just read Emma Goldman's "Disillusionment with Russia." Emma waited six months in Petrograd trying to decide what job she would take. She then selected her job and started a swing around the circle in pursuance of her work. She went from Petrograd to Moscow, Kharkov, and Kiev. At the end of one month she quit at Kiev. Emma is highly intelligent. She belongs in the Adler and not the Bills field of study.

HE REJUVENATED HIMSELF.

G. writes: Am 62. Unhealthy childhood and youth. Never learned to eat right until about ten years ago. Teach school and find it a seven or eight hour job daily. Until this year it was a nine or ten hour job on an average. Usually get in a half hour of rather hard work, sawing and splitting wood—usually, between quitting day's work and dinner. Read for about an hour after dinner, then work at some form of handicraft for about an hour. In bed eight hours on average, but about one-third that time spent in reading or just resting. On Saturday follow the business of cutting down trees and sawing them into firewood.

The bill of fare? Well, for breakfast two cups of fifty-fifty coffee and milk. For lunch, quart bottle of buttermilk and sometimes with quarter of a pie added. For dinner, anything but meat in quantities that seem to average fairly well with the quantities consumed by ordinary moderate eaters at same meal. Eat eggs, meat, and fish only once or twice a week.

If any man thinks this is not enough for a rather hard and steady worker of the age given, I invite him to try to keep up with me on a ten hour day of tree cutting or of tramping in the woods, rainy weather preferred, or in a day of uncounted hours spent in climbing the mountains of New England, where I spend the summers.

HAVE CROWNS REMOVED.

Geraldine writes: I am troubled with the inside of my mouth. It seems that the few gold crowns I have irritate the membrane and leave large lumps with matter in them. I have used mouth washes. Could you suggest any remedy? Should I go to a physician or go to a dentist to have the crowns taken off?

REPLY.

The present day opinion is that crowns that irritate the membrane and cause suppuration should be removed.

DOESN'T CAUSE CANCER.

D. N. writes: Do cornet players get cancer of the tongue?

REPLY.

I know of no evidence on this point. Prolonged irritation of the tongue is one cause of cancer, but I am told the tongue is not used in playing the cornet.

FRIEND OF THE PEOPLE

Letters to this department must be signed with names and addresses of the writers.

CONTRACT FOR BAD FUEL.

Manitowoc, Wis., Dec. 19.—[To the Legal Friend of the People.]—In October I signed a note for $113 agreeing to pay this amount to a local coal company by May 1, 1924, for eight tons of coke. It was to be delivered to me, one ton at a time on my order. They signed my name to the agreement. But I signed the note. The coke is poor and they delivered a load the first time instead of a ton. I am dissatisfied with the service. Can they force me to go through with the deal when I only signed the note and not the agreement, or contract as they call it?

R. W. F.

It seems probable that the facts are such that you were chargeable with having adopted the agreement, and that your rights would depend upon the wording of the agreement. If the note is negotiated before maturity to a holder without notice of your defenses he could enforce it regardless of the agreement.

TRIBUNE LAW DEPARTMENT.

DIVORCE FOR DESERTION.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—[To the Legal Friend of the People.]—1. When a wife deserts her husband how long must she wait before she can apply for a divorce?

2. Can she get alimony if he can prove he was supporting her when she left?

3. Does he have to be served with a notice personally before the case is called in court? M. J.

1. If she is to blame for the separation no lapse of time would entitle her to a divorce under Illinois law.

2. No, except as temporary alimony.

3. Service by publication is authorized in certain cases.

TRIBUNE LAW DEPARTMENT.

RAISE IN RENT.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—[To the Legal Friend of the People.]—I moved into a flat on Nov. 1 which was rented to me at the rate of $50 a month. I paid the amount for November and again for December, but the landlord has intimated that he might raise the rent to $65. If he does notify me in writing, will I have to pay the increase on Jan. 1, or do I have a longer time? What time is allowed me to move? J. T. A.

In case of tenancy at a monthly rent where there has never been an agreement for a longer term, either party can end the tenancy or the landlord can increase the rent at the end of any month of the tenancy on thirty days' notice. Since the statute merely specifies that the "landlord shall have the right to terminate the tenancy by sixty days' notice in writing" the legal effect of an oral notice is not clear.

If a tenant of residence property in a city, town, or village holds over and the landlord sues for possession a judge has discretionary power to grant to the tenant six months' stay of execution upon the tenant's giving bond to pay rent at a figure fixed by the judge. If the lessor demands notice of the lessee's intention as to applying for a stay the lessee must notify or no stay will be granted. No provision in a lease shall operate to increase damages for holdover above the rate of previous rent.

TRIBUNE LAW DEPARTMENT.

OUR SECRET AMBITION

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

Writers should confine themselves to 200 or 300 words. Give full names and addresses. No manuscripts can be returned. Address Voice of the People, The Tribune.

ABOUT IT, YALE!

Chicago, Dec 22.—On returning to Chicago for the holidays I am amazed to observe what you have stirred up with the editorial on the soft east. What is a college education anyway? Or are most Yale graduates morons? It was a stupid editorial, but we expect stupidity in editorials. I read them to study bad English, uncertain thinking, crass ignorance, and bad taste, but why answer them? Only Yale men would. The editorial writer's stupid purpose was quite apparent. He wanted to get a yelp and he got it. All the football Yale ever knew it learned from Percy Haughton. If it had not been for the mud Yale would have lost the last game with Harvard. Percy Haughton will soon teach even Columbia to lick Yale. Are all Yale graduates feeble minded or just some of them? HARVARD SOPHOMORE.

FOR PUTTING A FIRECRACKER UNDER POINCARE.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—There appeared recently in your columns a cartoon depicting Premier Poincare of Paris, France, complacently smoking a cigaret, squarely seated on a box labeled German toolbox, meaning, of course, that he, France, could and would prevent the German people—by this we mean the millions of artisans, workmen of all descriptions, small business men, office people, practically all except the farmer—from going to work as before. We all know the German people well enough for that, they would certainly much rather go to work than be compelled to accept charity, and then giving charity would not be necessary. Poincare displaying at the same time two placards telling the people of the United States rather derisively when they could expect the return of the money lent to him, France.

Now this depiction reminded me vividly of a trick, quite effective, we sometimes perpetrated on a self-satisfied, pompous gent seated somewhat like the gent aforementioned. A nimble imp would slide forth and hook a firecracker with slow fuse right under the pompous party's coattails. Suddenly, "Bang!" and you would be delighted to see the ample form of Monsieur Poincare fly gracefully off that German toolbox.

H. J. FITCH.

CHRISTMAS SEALS.

Glencoe, Ill., Dec. 17.—As a mother of school children who for years have had to take a certain quota of seals to sell and going through the same old grind again, I am voicing a protest at the methods used to collect the money.

Last year was snowy. Consequently many of the seals were gummed up before the children even got home from school, and I have dozens and dozens of 1922 and 1921 Christmas seals which were mussed and mislaid.

The average child objects to going from door to door and is sensitive if not able to sell his or her allotment; then mother has to come to the rescue.

This charity is no different from any other. All seem very urgent, but I object to being mulcted of much more than my share to any one charity, and to the unhappiness caused many youngsters. "PAT"

IGNORING FACT THAT HIGHEST SURTAXES AND EXCESS PROFITS TAXES HAVE BEEN CUT.

Galesville, Wis., Dec. 20.—It is presumably our total lack of economic training, but we can't for the life of us see what experimental basis exists for the contention that high surtaxes mean destruction to business, scarcity of capital, killing off in production, and, consequently, loss to everybody in general and wage earners in particular.

We have now had high surtaxes for seven years. According to Mr. Mellon, Mr. Forbes and others, these seven years of "confiscatory" taxes on big income should have brought us at least within hearing distance of the barkings of the inevitable bowwows. What is the situation? We quote from recent issues of the Wall Street Journal and other reliable sources of information:

"Call money plentiful at 4½ per cent."

"Savings deposits increase 10 per cent in one year."

"Four million automobiles sold in year."

"Building of residences in Chicago district 77 per cent above last year."

"Car loadings highest on record."

"Wages, in relation to cost of living, 25 to 50 per cent higher than ever before."

Here are two propositions. One is theory. The other is fact:

1. Surtaxes will make capital scarce, will destroy construction work, kill business, and reduce wages.

2. We have had high surtaxes for seven years. Capital is plentiful, business is prosperous, and wages are the highest on record.

Will Mr. Mellon et al. please reconcile these two propositions?

We can't. R. O. SIAS.

INDICATING THE OUTCOME IN THE ANTI-"PITTSBURGH PLUS" CAMPAIGN.

Chicago, Dec. 17.—The long drawn controversy on "Pittsburgh plus," in which THE TRIBUNE has fought so valiantly in the public interests, seems to be nearing a close.

The final decree entered Nov. 24, 1923, by Judge Sater of the federal court, southern district of Ohio, bears upon the points involved. In the latter case the Tile Manufacturers' Credit association and its members were enjoined at the suit of the government from using transportation rates, as a price basis, other than the actual rates between points of shipment and delivery, and were prohibited from using rates based on any fixed basing point.

The decree also prohibited selling the f. o. b. factory, with freight rates equalized with other factories in the United States manufacturing the same class of tiles. The decree was entered by consent of the defendants, it is true, but we may well believe that "there existed about them a great light" to induce their consent. NEWTON A. FARTHING.

FROM THE TRIBUNE'S COLUMNS

50 YEARS AGO TODAY (FACSIMILES)

BOSTON.

The Election of Women to the School Committee Said to Be Unconstitutional.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 24.—The School Committee at its meeting tonight received a communication from the City Solicitor declaring the election of women to the school committee to be unconstitutional. This communication did not hinder the Board grom. They cast their vote for the City Solicitor, and if he should take the matter to court, the women would be allowed to sit on the board. If one also wishes to take the oath required preside over the High Schools.

FRANCE.

Paris, Dec. 24.—The report is current that Marshal Ferdinand has died the cancer. It is also reported that Rochefort has died at New Caledonia.

London, Dec. 24.—The Daily News reports that the South Side of the Somme positions taken by the French Pathers has caused the German Government to recall its complaints to France.

LOCAL ITEMS.

The Herald, a small penny daily, started about five months ago, is no more.

The alarm from Box 189, at half-past 3 o'clock yesterday morning, was caused by a fire in a frame building, No. 151 Crosby street, occupied by Thomas Black. Loss, $100; uninsured.

Yesterday morning about 6 o'clock Michael Dalton, of Clinton Junction, Wis., in trying to get on a freight train of the Pittsburgh & Fort Wayne Railroad, slipped and fell, the wheels of two cars passing over his left leg below the knee, crushing it. He was removed to the County Hospital.

The Bureau of the Union Catholic Library Association, which has been out of the pioneering and cull field, managed affairs of the society, closed yesterday evening. The gentleman's table cost $1,000 per year. Mr. Charles Wayland, after an established custom.

DIVORCES.

DIVORCES LEGALLY OBTAINED. FEE AFTER decree of divorce. Address Free-Man, Box 187.

117 Franklin-st.

GENERAL NOTICES.

Grand Pigeon Shooting Match

On FRIDAY, Dec. 28, at the corner of Archer and Ashland aves., at 1 p. m. All kinds of pigeons on hand at 9 a. m. per lot. All kinds of [illegible]

10 YEARS AGO TODAY (FACSIMILES)

BY JOHN CALLAN O'LAUGHLIN.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Reform of the currency is a fact tonight.

Following the adoption of the conference report by the senate by a vote of 43 to 25, the president at 6:21 o'clock tonight affixed his signature to the bill which he originated and shaped during it passage through congress.

Mrs. Ella Flagg Young was reinstated as superintendent of the Chicago public schools yesterday afternoon at a sensational meeting of the board of education.

By the same action the election of John D. Shoop, accomplished by a secret ballot thirteen days ago, was revoked, and Mr. Shoop was put back in his old position as assistant superintendent.

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The police magistrate today dismissed the charges of assaulting the police brought against Miss Zelie Emerson, the American suffragist, in connection with a disturbance last week. Miss Emerson and her friends walked out of court with all the honors of war.

USE EGGS IN PLACE OF MONEY.

Arkansas Mountaineers Find Them So Scarce That They Pass Them About Like Coin.

Fort Smith, Ark., Dec. 22.—Eggs have become so scarce in the mountainous sections of Arkansas that they are being used as a medium of exchange. Not only are they accepted in payment for goods at many mercantile establishments, but are bartered for entertainment at moving picture shows, selling one egg, admission.

Influenza in Paris.

PARIS, Dec. 22.—Jules Claretie, one of the French "immortals," and administrator of the Comedie Francaise, died today of influenza.

THEY ELECT THEIR PRESIDENTS FOR LIFE IN MEXICO

[From Sioux City Journal.]

WIEBOLDT FUND GIVES $158,155 TO 181 CHARITIES

Foundation Makes Study of Service Yielded.

Announcement of $158,155 in gifts to 181 Chicago public welfare and charitable organizations was made yesterday by the Wieboldt foundation. The sums range from $18,000 given the United Charities down to thirty-two donations of $100 each.

Among the recipients of the larger amounts are the Chicago Committee for the Starving German Children, $18,000; the Jewish Social Service bureau, $10,000; the Infant Welfare society, $5,000; the Y. W. C. A., $5,000; the Visiting Nurse Association, $5,000, and the Y. M. C. A., $5,200.

Make Service Survey.

An auditor's survey of more than 125 local organizations, showing how much service each contributed dollar would render, was made before the gifts were determined upon.

The survey disclosed that about $14,000,000 is expended each year in operating all of these Chicago institutions. Hospital fees and similar earnings added to more than $1,000,000 realized from incomes on endowment funds, leave about $5,500,000 which the public must contribute to keep these agencies in full operation, the survey showed.

Here's List of Gifts.

Following is a summary of the distribution of gifts announced by the Wieboldt foundation:

Type of agencies—	No.	Amount.
Children's homes	33	$35,675
Home finding agencies	2	6,000
Homes for the aged	19	4,500
Boarding homes	4	850
Settlements	19	13,920
Relief agencies	7	80,100
General welfare	4	10,200
Boys' clubs	3	2,000
Vocational and educational	4	3,500
Religious and esthetic	3	300
Protective agencies	3	1,500
Physical aid	1	500
Collections agencies	7	5,300
Law enforcement agencies	3	1,500
Day nurseries	20	5,000
Hospitals	11	10,475
Sanitariums	4	3,000
Convalescent homes	5	3,700
Maternity hospitals	4	995
Dispensaries	4	3,900
Agencies for physically handicapped	7	1,450
Medical research and education	7	14,700
Foreign relief	1	10,000

The total is $158,155 divided among 181 activities.

OBITUARY.

HUBERT P. KAULEN, known to hundreds of persons in the vicinity of Halsted and Adams streets, where he has conducted a bakery for the last thirty-five years, died last night. He leaves a widow and five children at his home, 510 South Leavitt street. Funeral services will be held Thursday in Precious Blood church.

JOHN FANNING, 77 years old, for many years engaged in the real estate business, died suddenly yesterday at his home in Glencoe. He is survived by one son, John J., and three daughters, Mrs. K. A. Booth, Mrs. Thomas Curry, and Mrs. Judson Titsworth Jr. Funeral services will be private.

CLARENCE C. WOOLARD, American vice consul at Cape Haitien for the last eight years, died yesterday at Fort au Prince, Haiti, of malignant malaria. He was a native of Grafton, W. Va., and was formerly a railroad man.

Today's Radio Programs

[Central Time Throughout]

On the stroke of 12 tonight cathedral bells from station WJAZ will ring in the Christmas day and open a special Christmas carol service for Capt. Donald B. MacMillan and crew aboard the Bowdoin in the arctic circle. The service will be conducted by the Rev. Gardner MacWhorter and a quartet of St. Edmund's Episcopal church. A feature will be a personal talk to Capt. MacMillan by his sister, Mrs. Lillian Fogg. Wave length, 448 meters.

THE REV. GARDNER MACWHORTER. [Keshee Photo.]

CHICAGO

11:30 a. m.—KYW [536]. Table talk, "Left Overs," Mrs. Anna J. Peterson.

4:30 p. m.—WMAQ [448]. Christmas carols and music.

6:30—KYW [536]. Children's bedtime story.

7 to 12—Silent night in Chicago.

OUTSIDE CHICAGO

Silent night for stations WGI, Schenectady; WCAP, Washington; WHAS, Louisville.

CONCERTS.

11 a. m.—WEAF [492], New York. Christmas carols and chimes by employes, American Telephone and Telegraph company, direct from lobby, 195 Broadway.

11 a. m.—WDAR [395], Philadelphia. Organ recital; orchestral concert.

12 noon—WOC [484], Davenport. Chimes.

1:30 p. m.—WEAF [492], New York. Christmas chimes, William B. Murray Jr., direct from Trinity church.

2—WEAF [492], New York. Christmas carols, Trinity church choir and Sunday school, direct wire.

2:30—WOR [405], Newark. "Round the World in a Half Hour of Folk Songs." Augustus Post.

3—WWJ [517], Detroit. Orchestra.

4:15—WOR [405], Philadelphia. Grand organ. Christmas carols and trumpets.

5—WWJ [517], Detroit. Detroit News orchestra and soloists.

5:15—WLAG [417]. Minneapolis Athletic club orchestra.

6:30 to 9—WEAF [492], New York. Christmas carols, songs and instrumental program. St. James Episcopal church.

6:45—WGY [380], Schenectady. Sacred concert, boys' choir, St. Ann's church of Amsterdam, N. Y.

7:15—KDKA [326], Pittsburgh. Sacred program. KDKA Little Symphony orchestra.

7:30—WCAE [462]. Concert by artists and artist pupils.

7:30—WLAG [417]. Minneapolis. The story of the nativity in Biblical language and song—Carlisle musical program.

7:30 to 8:30—WEAF [476], Fort Worth. Christmas eve concert—vocal and instrumental.

7:30—WJZ [455], New York. Boys' organ recital, solos by Milton J. Cross.

8—WHAS [399], Medford Hillside, Mass. Christmas eve sacred recital by artist pupils.

8 to 9—WJZ [455], Atlanta. Special Christmas program.

8 to 9—WLW [309], Cincinnati. String quintet and soloists.

8 to 12—WHBD [345], Elon, Ill. Christmas program—solos, duets; instrumental.

9 to 9—WOC [484], Davenport. Christmas program by children.

9:00—WJZ [455], New York. Annual Christmas carol program. East End Presbyterian church choir, direct wire.

9 to 10—WBZ [468], Washington. Sacred recital by Emil Peter.

9 to 11—WDAW [389], Omaha. Christmas eve program. First Central Congregational church; the Rev. Frank G. Smith.

9:10—WOO [509], Philadelphia. Grand organ recital and Christmas carols.

9:30 to 10:45—WEAF [492], Fort Worth. Christmas carols and organ concert, from auditorium, First Methodist church.

10 to 12—WBZ [389], Washington. Christmas carols, St. John's church choir.

10 to 12—KDKA [326], Pittsburgh. Special Christmas eve program, KDKA Little Symphony orchestra and soloists.

10:30—WJZ [455], New York. Christmas program, choir and musicians of "The Hunchback of Notre Dame." As it's [said night, eastern time]—chimes ringing in the Christmas day, by Ray Ellis.

11—WLAG [417], Minneapolis. Midnight Christmas service of Central Lutheran church.

10:30 to 11—KSD [546], St. Louis. Christmas carols by carolers of Children's Aid society.

11—KSD [546], St. Louis. Broadcasting the midnight mass at the Old St. Louis cathedral.

POPULAR PROGRAMS.

9:30 p. m.—WJZ [455], New York. The music, Waldorf-Astoria stringed ensemble, direct wire.

4—WEAF [492], New York. Christmas program for children.

4 to 5—WHAS [399], Louisville. Concerts by theatrical orchestras.

5:15—KDKA [326]. Dinner concert, KDKA Little Symphony orchestra.

5:30—WCAE [462]. Dinner concert from William Penn hotel.

5:45—WOC [484], Davenport. Chimes.

6:45—KDKA [326], Pittsburgh. A Christmas program for the kiddies.

7 to 8—WOO [509], Philadelphia. Orchestra and soloists.

7:15 to 8—WBZ [469], Washington. Song recitals, and orchestra.

7:30—WCAE [462]. Birth, Ill. Concert.

7:30—KSD [546], St. Louis. Vocal, organ, orchestral program, from Grand Central theater.

8:00 to 9:30—WDAF [411], Kansas City. Concert.

8 to 9:30—WBZ [469], Washington. Mandolin Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar orchestra.

8—WOS [441], Jefferson City, Missouri State Prison Dance orchestra; Harry Snodgrass, pianist.

8:15 to 9—WOO [509], Philadelphia. Orchestra, direct from Fox theater.

8:30—WMC [500], Memphis. Concert, Hotel Gayoso orchestra.

9 to 10—KFAF [360], Denver. Concert.

10:45—WSB [429], Atlanta. Transcontinental radiowl Christmas entertainment.

12—WBZ [469], Washington. Dance program.

11:45 to 1 a. m.—WDAF [411], Kansas City. Midnight program.

TALKS.

1 p. m.—WGY [380], Schenectady. "Christmas Feasts and Festivals." Mrs. K. V. Sicere.

2—WLAG [417], Minneapolis. "Preventing Christmas Fires," John Townsend.

3:30—WOC [484], Davenport. "The Psychology of Profanity." E. W. Stephenson.

4—WLAG [417], Minneapolis. Story, "A Recruit at Christmas Time." E. H. Davis.

6:15—KDKA [326], Pittsburgh. Radio Girl Scout meeting, conducted by Miss Laura Holland.

6:30 to 7:30—WDAR [395], Philadelphia. "The Birds' Christmas Carol"—a child's Christmas fantasy, presented by students of elocution.

6:30—WJZ [455], New York. "Dogs," by Frank Dole.

7—WJZ [455], New York. "Christmas Thoughts," by Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

7—WBZ [469], New York. "The Political Situation in Washington," Frederic W. Wile.

8:30—WMC [500], Washington. "Reading of Charles Dickens' 'A Christmas Carol.'"

9—WOR [405], Newark. "The Panama Canal," Capt. R. P. Jessop, U. S. N.

9—WLW [309], Cincinnati. Third prize winning radario.

Hold Funeral Today for Mrs. Mary Vanzwoll

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p. m. today at Rosehill chapel for Mrs. Mary Sheldon Vanzwoll, who died suddenly on Friday night. Mrs. Vanzwoll for many years was associated with Mrs. Alice H. Putnam in Kindergarten training schools and was active in the Chicago Women's club.

DEATH NOTICES

IN MEMORIAM.

NOYES—Angela E. Noyes. In sad, sweet memory of my dearly beloved mother, who passed to the higher life 10 years ago, Dec. 24, 1913.

ANGELA NOYES COCHRANE.

VAN DOOREN—Gertrude Van Dooren. In loving memory of my sister, Gertrude Van Dooren, who passed away one year ago today.

"In my heart you shall live forever."

KATHRYN.

BARDEN—Walter D. Barden, Dec. 23, 1923, beloved husband of Elizabeth, nee Dempsey, father of Velma and Walter. Funeral Wednesday, 9 a. m., from his late residence, 334 S. Lombard-av., Oak Park, to St. Catherine's church, Washington-blvd. and Humphrey-av. Interment Mount Carmel.

BARTH—Charles G. Barth, Dec. 21, 1923; late of 940 Montrose-blvd. Funeral service at chapel, 2701 N. Clark-st., Monday, Dec. 24, at 10:30 a. m. Member of Loyal legion. Interment Graceland cemetery.

BRADY—William Dahnby Brady, beloved son of the late Elizabeth and Peter Brady, brother of John Dohney, Lawrence, Edward, Margaret, and Mrs. John Parker. Funeral Wednesday, 9 a. m., from late residence, 5335 Emerald-av. to St. David's church, where high mass will be celebrated. Interment Mount Olivet. Member of Camp Roosevelt, No. 1402, Modern Woodmen of America. For information call Yards 1154.

BUHAI—Chenra Buhai, beloved wife of the late Moses Aaron, fond mother of Jos., Mrs. S. Chulman, Michael, Sam, Simon, Mrs. M. Frank, Mrs. T. Deutch, Mrs. G. Harris, and Mrs. J. Patrol. Funeral Monday, Dec. 24, 1923, 11 a. m., from chapel, 2111 W. Roosevelt-st. Interment Jewish Waldheim. Please omit flowers.

CASEY—Thomas J. Casey, principal of Gladstone school. Funeral Monday, Dec. 24, 1923, 9:30 a. m., Resurrection church.

DAVIES—Edwin C. K. Davies, Dec. 21, 1721 Leland-av., beloved husband of Ellen Davies, father of Mrs. Katherine Peterson, Dorothea Davies, and Mrs. Margery Williams of Walsonville, Cal. Funeral Monday, Dec. 24, at 11 a. m., from All Saints' church, corner of Wilson and Hermitage-avs. Interment Rosehill cemetery. Walsonville, Cal., papers please copy.

DIFFENDORF—Frances C. DiffenDorf, Dec. 23, 1923, widow of the late Robert, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George R. Bennett, 7245 Euclid-av. Funeral Monday, at 2:30 p. m., at Rosehill cemetery chapel. Please omit flowers.

HAGAN—William H. Hagan, beloved husband of Mary, fond father of the late Mrs. Frankeberg, Mrs. Johnson, William, Mrs. Mabel Mason, and Walter. Funeral Dec. 25, at 2 p. m., from late residence, 3953 Lexington-st., to Waldheim.

FANNING—John Fanning, suddenly, at late residence in Glencoe, father of John J., Mrs. K. A. Booth, Mrs. Thomas Curry, and Mrs. Judson Titsworth, Jr. Funeral private. Services and interment at Rose Hill Monday afternoon.

GILMORE—William Gilmore, beloved husband of the late Margaret Gilmore, nee Dowling, father of Mrs. Anna Humphreys, Mrs. D. Callahan, and Mrs. P. Lamport. Funeral Monday, Dec. 24, at 1:30 p. m., from his daughter's residence, 6529 N. Campbell-av.

DEATH NOTICES

HANSON—Walter Scott Hanson, Dec. 23, 1923, suddenly, at his residence, 3140 Shields-av., beloved husband of Tillie, and Little Agnes, father of Walter Chester, son of Charles and Lottie Hanson, brother of Mrs. Frank S. Shaver and Alph. S. Hanson of Indianapolis, George of Rensselaer, Ind., and Robert Hanson. Funeral services from chapel, 3322 South Halsted, Wednesday, 2 p. m., under auspices of Boulevard Lodge, A. F. & A. M. Member of Ellsworth lodge, No. 114, K. of P. Interment Evergreen cemetery. For autos call Wentworth 0073.

HEUCHLING—Homer N. Heuchling, Dec. 22, aged 20 years, late of 3107 Ingleside-av., beloved son of Margaret and the late Herman A. Heuchling, brother of Mrs. Cecil Earl Patterson. Funeral service Monday at Mendroux chapel, at 2 p. m. Remains at chapel, 3170 N. Clark-st.

HENSHAW—Mary S. Hunter, Dec. 22, beloved wife of Frank A. Henshaw. Funeral Monday, Dec. 24, at 10 a. m., from the late residence, 8340 Stoddard-av., Interlaken, Glenwood.

HOOPER—Maud M. Hooper, beloved wife of Henry F., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Morehead, formerly of Rockford, Ill. Funeral Monday, Dec. 24, at 2 p. m., from her late residence, 4850 Sheridan-rd. Wednesday, Dec. 26, 1923, 2 p. m. Interment Rosehill.

ISAACS—Joel David Isaacs, in his sixtieth year, at Toronto, husband of the late Lena Isaacs, brother of Mrs. Sarah Isaacs, Mrs. Martin J. Lewis J., and Katherine Isaacs. Funeral from chapel, 906 E. 47th-st., Monday, Dec. 24, at 1:30 p. m. Interment at convenience.

KATZ—Gussie Katz, beloved wife of Nathan, mother of Esther Silverman, Lizzie Kauffman, Edith, Max, and Leon. Funeral will be held Monday, 2 p. m., from late residence, 4355 S. Marshfield-av. Interment Jewish Waldheim. Omit flowers.

DEATH NOTICES

KATZ—Anna Katz, nee Fornlieb, Dec. 21, dearly beloved wife of the late Samuel Katz, fond mother of Simon and the late Samuel and Charles, sister of Mrs. Potrolnik, aunt of Walter Katz, Oscar Hilton, Harry, Victor, and Charles Potrolnik and Mrs. Melanie Lauman. Funeral Monday, Dec. 24, at 2 p. m., from her late residence, 3752 S. Marshfield-av., to B'nai Abraham cemetery, Waldheim.

KAPLAN—Nathan P. Kaplan, Dec. 22, 1923, beloved husband of Gertrude Quertimus Kaplan, father of Mrs. E. J. Casey, Dr. Milton Kaplan, Mrs. Ben Rosenthal, Mrs. Maurice Kaplan, Mrs. Arnold Rosenthal, and Mrs. Margaret Crane of Chicago, and Mrs. Elsie Mercer of Honolulu. Funeral Wednesday at 2 p. m. from his late residence, 5130 S. Lincoln-av., to the Most Precious Blood church, where requiem high mass will be celebrated. Interment Mount Carmel.

KEHR—Anna Kehr, beloved wife of Leo and mother of Lucille, daughter of Mrs. Jeanette Wolf, and sister of Sam, Milton, Gertrude, Florence, Irma, Howard, Lillian, and Clarence. Member of Ideal Chapter, P. G. R. S. No. 835. Funeral from chapel, 3701 N. Clark-st., Monday, Dec. 24, 2 p. m., to Rosehill. Please omit flowers.

McINTOSH—Harold D. McIntosh, Dec. 21, dearly beloved husband of Alma, nee Tears, loving father of John H., and son of John and the late Annie McIntosh. Member of Cordelia lodge No. 607, A. F. & A. M., Oriental consistory, and Medinah temple. Funeral from late residence, 7933 Sheridan-rd. Services in Forest Home cemetery chapel, Monday at 3 o'clock.

MELENDY—David Asa Melendy, beloved husband of Mary Rice Melendy, and father of Dr. Robert A. Melendy, at his residence, 3731 Ellis-av. Funeral services at chapel, 4141 Cottage Grove-av., 2:30 p. m., Wednesday, Dec. 26. Interment Oakwoods.

MEYER—Carrie Falk Meyer, Michigan City, Ind., Friday evening, Dec. 21, widow of C. Elijah Meyer, mother of Mrs. Herbert T. Levin and Edna Meyer. Funeral Monday morning, 10 o'clock.

MILLER—Dora Miller, 5064 N. Kimball, formerly of 1107 S. Winchester, age 51, beloved mother of Sadye, Jeanette, Hattie, Frances, Abe, Maurice, and Mrs. Mack Lewis. Funeral Monday, 1:30 p. m., from chapel, 3834 Roosevelt-rd., to Knesseth cemetery, Waldheim. Please omit flowers.

MOLLOY—Laura Molloy, suddenly, Dec. 21, aged 9 years, beloved daughter of Charles L. and Anna, nee McGregor; sister of Marvis, Jane, Barry, and Isabelle. Funeral from 1265 Bryn Mawr-av., Monday, 9:30 a. m., to St. Ita's church. Autos to cemetery.

MORRIS—William Morris, Dec. 22, 1923, husband of the late Bertha Morris, father of William H. and Harry F. Morris, and Mrs. Rose De Beck. Funeral services at his late residence, 4035 Kimbark-av., Monday at 1:30 p. m. Interment at Oakwoods cemetery.

ROONEY—Catherine McSweeney Rooney, dearly beloved wife of Michael, mother of Mrs. Helen Cella, Mrs. Michael Cella, and John Dohoney, at her late residence, 519 Dever-av. Funeral notice later. For information call Shabtakie 1843.

ROSENFELD—Fred G. Rosenfeld, 4742 Hibbard-av., Dec. 20, beloved son of Mrs. Alice Rosenfeld, brother of Holmes, Alice, George, Henry, Mrs. J. H. Loevenhart, and Mrs. Max Strauss. Funeral from chapel, 3454 N. 47th-st., Monday, 10 a. m. Los Angeles and New Orleans papers please copy. Member of Monument lodge 657, F. A. M.; Indianapolis; Elk lodge, South Bend, Ind.; Athenaeum, Chicago, and Chicago Literary Dr. Gerson D. Levy, active pall bearers: H. J. Root, Harry Stern, A. J. Marks, Sol Heyman, Herman Weil, Ben F. Morrison, Emery Pall Bearers: Dr. Arthur Loevenhart, Dr. C. Friberg, Dr. Phil Daley, Davis Fleshground, Leo Adler, Dave Livingston, Harry Fish, Harry Dunham, Harry F. Wallach, Leo Tutor, Oscar Friend, Roy Fries, I. S. Ginsberg, John Burke, Miss J. Fritzel, Emil Reinhold, Morris G. Leonard, Michael Sloan, Joe Hyman, Herman Ahlman, Isaac Fish, W. J. Hunston, Frank Mandel, Myron Feisenthal, Irving Hartman, Louis J. Root, George Roder, Jack Ard, Stanley Sommers, Jerry Purvis, Dan Fry, Rt. Rev. Father Cavanaugh, Cliff Chandler, M. L. Cohen, R. H. Guiterman, Rt. Rev. Father McGinn, Charles Kritchbrod.

ROWLING—Clara Jane Rowling, age 75 years, beloved mother of Joseph Wright and Mrs. Grace Waldman of Columbus, O. Remains at chapel, 2320 W. Madison-st. Funeral services and interment at Columbus, O. Columbus, O., papers please copy.

SACHS—Sarah Sachs, Dec. 22, sister of Mrs. Hannah Naftalin and mother of Mrs. Rose Cavis of South Bend, Ind.; B. M. Sachs, Mrs. Hattie Fenger Sachs, Mrs. Dora Rubenstein, Mrs. H. L. Rittwitch, L. L. Sachs, Harry Sachs, and Jack Sachs of Detroit. Funeral Monday, 2 p. m., from chapel, 4040 Prairie-av., to Waldheim.

SALOMON—Martin Salomon, beloved husband of Adeline Salomon, nee Rosberg, father of Bernhart, Mrs. Leah Rosalia and Jesse Salomon, brother of Siegmund, Jacob, Herman, and Mrs. Samuel Kuttenauer, Mrs. I. M. Stern. Funeral from late home, 834 N. Humphrey-av., Oak Park, Monday, 11 a. m. to Free Sons cemetery.

SCHAUBEL—Dr. George Melville Schaubel, husband of Emma Schaubel, nee Scherer, father of George Wade Schaubel, son of Louis A. and the late Frankie Schaubel, brother of Mrs. W. W. White, Hallie, Mrs. W. G. Bushl, Will C., Mrs. George Meltz, and John. Ninth chief ranger independent Order of Foresters. Member of Humboldt Park lodge No. 615, A. F. & A. M.; Northwest chapter No. 244, R. A. M.; Humboldt Park commandery No. 79, K. T.; United States camp No. 3,623, M. W. of A., and Knights of Pythias; past commander Humboldt tent No. 28, K. O. T. M. Funeral Monday at 1:45 p. m., from Bethany Presbyterian church, southeast corner Humboldt-blvd. and Cortland-st. Interment Oak Ridge.

SEYL—Paul C. Seyl, Dec. 23, at his residence, 377 Ridge-av., Winnetka, beloved husband of Josephine Langer Seyl, father of Frank, Josephine, and Katherine Seyl, brother of Joseph C. and F. Walter Seyl. Services at Rosehill chapel, Wednesday, Dec. 26, at 11:30 p. m. Interment Rosehill.

SONNENBERGER—Jacob Sonnenberger, Dec. 22, dearly beloved father of Mrs. Sol Klein, Mrs. Hanna and Mario Sonnenberger. Funeral from his late residence, 4038 Sheridan-rd., Monday, Dec. 24, at 1:30 p. m. Please omit flowers. Burial Waldheim.

TAYLOR—James A. Taylor, beloved husband of Jessie M., nee Middlebrook, brother of Harvey A. and Frank J. Funeral Wednesday at 9:30 from his late residence, 5549 Indiana-av., to St. Anslem's church. Interment Calvary.

UGLAND—Jennie Ugland, aged 69 years, of 2818 North-av., beloved wife of the late Peter, fond mother of Mrs. Margaret Hanson, Mrs. R. Sivilson. At Funeral Tuesday, Dec. 25, at 2 p. m., from Bethel church, 2014 North-av., to Mount Olive.

VANSWOLL—Mary Sheldon Vanswoll, Dec. 21, 1923, at her home, 6023 Kenmore-av., wife of H. B. Vanswoll, sister of Ella F. and Herbert D. Sheldon. Services at Rosehill chapel Monday at 1:30 p. m. Please omit flowers.

WITTMUP—Marjorie Lucille Wittmup, Dec. 22, aged 6 years, at late residence, 2214 N. Paulina-st., darling daughter of James B. and Mabel L. Wittmup, sister of Jack S. Funeral services at grave in Rosehill cemetery, Monday, 2:30 o'clock.

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PROMINENT MEN ATTEND FUNERAL OF FRANK COBB

New York, Dec. 23.—More than 500 persons of prominence today attended the funeral of Frank Irving Cobb, until his death last Friday editor of the World, at St. George's Protestant Episcopal church. The Rev. Dr. Karl Reiland, the rector, officiated. There was no eulogy. The body will be taken tomorrow to Westport, Conn., for burial.

Honorary pallbearers were former Gov. Nathan L. Miller, Frank L. Polk, former undersecretary of state; former Justice Morgan J. O'Brien, Justice Victor J. Dowling, Justice E. S. K. Merrill, Bernard M. Baruch, Dwight Morrow, Alexander Konta, Samuel A. Beardsley, John Godfrey Saxe, Walter Price, Louis C. Davel, Patrick Francis Murphy, Frank A. Munsey, and Louis Selbold of the Herald, Adolph S. Ochs and Rollo Ogden of the Times, Arthur Brisbane of the Evening Journal, Geoffrey Parsons of the Tribune, H. S. Pollard, John J. Tennant, and Don C. Seitz of the Evening World, John L. Heaton, Herbert Bayard Swope, Florence D. White, Joseph Pulitzer, and Ralph Pulitzer of the World.

Prof. George M. Wahl, German Authority, Dies

Boston, Dec. 23.—Prof. George Moritz Wahl, emeritus professor of German at Williams college and associated with that institution for the last thirty-one years, died suddenly in a hospital today of pneumonia. He was known as an authority on German literature and had written extensively on the subject.

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IGNORING FACT THAT HIGHEST SURTAXES AND EXCESS PROFITS TAXES HAVE BEEN CUT.

Galesville, Wis., Dec. 20.—It is presumably our total lack of economic training, but we can't for the life of us see what experimental basis exists for the contention that high surtaxes mean destruction to business, scarcity of capital, falling off in production, and, consequently, loss to everybody in general and wage earners in particular.

We have now had high surtaxes for seven years. According to Mr. Mellon, Mr. Forbes and others, these seven years of "confiscatory" taxes on big incomes should have brought us at least within hearing distance of the barkings of the inevitable bowwows. What is the situation? We quote from recent copies of the Wall Street Journal and other reliable sources of information:

"Call money plentiful at 4½ per cent."

"Savings deposits increase 10 per cent in one year."

"Four million automobiles sold last year."

"Building of residences in Chicago district 77 per cent above last year."

"Car loadings highest on record."

"Wages, in relation to cost of living, 25 to 50 per cent higher than ever before."

Here are two propositions. One is theory, the other is fact:

1. Surtaxes will make capital scarce, will destroy construction work, kill business, and reduce wages.

2. We have had high surtaxes for seven years. Capital is plentiful, business is prosperous, and wages are the highest on record.

Will Mr. Mellon et al. please reconcile these two propositions?

We can't. R. O. SEAR.

INDICATING THE OUTCOME IN THE ANTI-"PITTSBURGH PLUS" CAMPAIGN.

Chicago, Dec. 17.—The long drawn controversy on "Pittsburgh plus," in which THE TRIBUNE has fought so valiantly for the public interests, seems to be nearing a close.

The final decree entered Nov. 26, 1923, by Judge Sater of the federal court, southern district of Ohio, bears upon the points involved. In the latter case the Tile Manufacturers' Credit association and its members were enjoined at the suit of the government from using transportation rates, as a price basis, other than the actual rates between points of shipment and delivery, and were prohibited from using rates based on any fixed basing point.

The decree also prohibited selling tiles f. o. b. factory, with freight rates equalized with other factories in the United States manufacturing the same class of tiles. The decree was entered by consent of the defendants, it is true, but we may well believe that "there shined about them a great light" to induce their consent. NEWTON A. PARTRIDGE.

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SKATING BODIES ENTHUSIASTIC OVER TRIB RACE

With the announcement of the opening of entries for the eighth annual Silver Skates Derbies of THE TRIBUNE at Garfield park on Jan. 20, skating officials and enthusiasts all over the city yesterday announced their support of the big meet.

All clubs sponsoring skating teams are lining up their racers to prepare for the coming season, which has so far been held off by continued mild weather. Last season a field of 1,716 skaters was nominated and an even greater entry is expected for the races this season.

No Diamond Medal.

President Frank Kalteux of the Western Skating association declared that his organization was solidly back of the meet. The races are held under sanction of the Western association and many of its members act as officials.

The same program of events as followed last year will be run on Jan. 20, with the exception of the Diamond Medal championship race for previous winners of the senior silver skates. Owing to the absence of Harry Kaskey and William Steinmetz, two former winners, who are in the east training for the Olympic games championships, it has been decided to eliminate the Diamond Medal event for this season.

Two Races for Girls.

Two races for girls are scheduled. Girls 16 years of age and over will skate in the senior division and the winner will be rewarded with solid silver skates. Second place winner will receive nickel plated skates, and the third place is a set of bronze runners. The junior girls' race is for all girls who have not attained their 16th birthday on the day of the Derby and the prizes are silver plated, nickel, and bronze skates.

The boys are divided into three classes. The senior division is for all skaters 18 years and over, the intermediate class is open to skaters 16 years of age and under 18, while the junior division is for boys under 16 years. Solid silver, nickel plated, and bronze runners will be given the senior winners; silver plated, nickel, and bronze skates to the intermediate victors, while the juniors will receive the same prizes as the intermediate.

All Amateurs Eligible.

All of the Derbies are open to skaters who qualify as amateurs under the rules of the Western Skating association. No entry fee is required, the only responsibility being placed on the skaters is that of clipping the entry blank appearing on the sporting pages and mailing it to Walter Eckersall, sporting department, Chicago Tribune. The Silver Skates positively will close on Jan. 13 at midnight and no entries will be accepted after that date.

CRESCENTS' LONG STRING OF WINS BROKEN, 12 TO 10

Belle Plaines stopped the Hamlin Crescents' winning streak of nine games by nosing out the Crescents, 12 to 10, yesterday in a Windy City league indoor game at Hamlin park. The Plaines piled up a big lead in the first three innings, getting four tallies in the opening round, two in the second, and three in the third. Tony Kohs of the Plaines hung up a new league record when he rapped out his sixteenth consecutive hit. Scores:

HAMLIN CRESCENTS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Quinn, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Neuf, 2b	4	1	1	2	3	0
Lenk, ss	4	1	1	1	3	0
Hunt, 3b	4	1	1	0	2	0
Hall, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Lindell, c	4	0	1	8	0	0
Kalpin, p	4	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	32	3	5	24	11	0

BELLE PLAINE A. C.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Werdell, lf	4	1	2	4	0	0
Schwartz, 1b	4	2	2	8	0	0
Hurby, ss	4	2	2	1	3	0
Kohs, 3b	4	2	4	0	2	0
Wentz, c	4	1	1	7	0	0
Wentz, p	4	1	2	0	3	0
Wingert, rf	4	1	0	1	0	0
Kruger, 2b	4	0	1	2	0	0
Totals	36	10	14	23	8	0

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Belle Plaine A. C.	4	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	12	14	0
Hamlin Crescents	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	5	0

Two base hits—Kohs (2), Werdell (2), Burby (2), Hennessey, Janiszewski, Brady. Three base hits—Hunt, Wentz. Struck out—Kruger 2, Reuf, 3, Kalpin 2, Wentz 1. Bases on balls—Soukup, 2; Kalpin, 1.

TURNERS, 10; EDISON, 0.

Commonwealth Edison submitted to a 10 to 0 drubbing at the hands of the Central Turners at lottery gym. Score:

TURNERS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Lyons, 2d	4	2	1	0	1	0
Wenzel, 1b	4	1	1	9	0	0
Lenard, c	4	1	1	6	1	0
Kaufman, ss	4	1	1	1	3	0
Kaufman, 3b	4	1	1	0	2	0
Kaufman, lf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Kaufman, cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Kaufman, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Kaufman, p	4	1	1	0	3	0
Totals	36	10	11	24	9	0

COM. EDISON CO.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Stanley, 2d	4	0	0	1	2	0
Nelson, 1b	4	0	0	9	0	0
Doyle, ss	4	0	0	1	2	0
Kaegi, c	4	0	0	6	1	0
Hayes, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Schmidt, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Schmidt, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Schmidt, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Schmidt, p	4	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	36	0	0	18	9	0

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Central Turners	0	2	4	1	0	0	2	1	0	10	11	0
Com. Edison Co.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Three base hits—Lyons, Kaufman, Kaegi. Home run—Kaufman. Struck out—By Kaufman, 10; by Schmidt, 9. Bases on balls—Millard, 2; Kaufman, 1; H. Lenard, 1.

U. P. I., 11; STANFORD PARK, 0.

INSTITUTE	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Brumby, lf	4	1	0	0	0	0
Jones, 3b	4	1	1	0	2	0
Gilmore, c	4	1	2	6	0	0
Gilmore, 2b	4	1	2	0	1	0
Lumby, ss	4	1	1	1	2	0
Bennett, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Bennett, cf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	32	11	9	27	5	0

STANFORD	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Norris, ss	3	0	0	2	3	0
Nichols, c	3	0	0	5	0	0
Brock, 1b	3	0	0	9	0	0
Parker, 2b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Parker, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	0
Parker, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Brock, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Brock, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	0	0	27	6	0

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
U. P. I.	4	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	11	9	0
Stanford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Three base hits—Brumby, Gilmore. Struck out—By Norris, 7; by Gilmore, 3. Bases on balls—Gilmore, 1; Gilmore, 1.

MORSE ARR., 6; FALCON REDS, 0

Kriesinger blanked the Falcon Reds, 6 to 0, at Devorak park for the Morse Arrows. Score:

MORSE ARROWS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Stamer, 1b	4	0	1	10	1	0
Kaufman, ss	4	0	1	1	3	0
Kriesinger, p	4	1	1	0	3	0
Everett, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Olson, rs	4	1	1	0	0	0
Fluder, 2b	4	0	1	2	2	0
Fluder, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Fluder, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Fluder, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	3	6	27	10	0

FALCON REDS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Miller, 1b	4	0	0	9	0	0
Miller, 2b	4	0	0	1	2	0
Kaegi, c	4	0	0	6	1	0
Kaegi, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Kaegi, ss	4	0	0	0	1	0
Kaegi, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Kaegi, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Kaegi, p	4	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	0	0	24	5	0

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Morse Arrows	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Falcon Reds	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Two base hits—Stamer, Kaufman, Olson. Struck out—Kriesinger 10, Soukup, 2; Kaegi, 2; Miller, 1. Bases on balls—Soukup, 2; Kriesinger, 2; J. Kaegi, 1.

MOON MULLINS—THERE'S NO WARMTH IN A CHRISTMAS TREE IN JANUARY

Chicago Net Players Tumble from Western Top Ranking

Announcement of the annual ranking of western section tennis players for the year 1923 discloses a decisive shift of high honors away from Chicago. In previous seasons, almost as a matter of course, this city could boast the first place laurels in both singles and doubles in the section which includes the states of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, and Wisconsin.

But for the last season the best representative of local clubs was the youngster, George Lott Jr., who was accorded No. 4 ranking in the list of men's singles stars, one place ahead of Walter T. Hayes, whose fifth position will be cause for comment among the followers of the net stars who became accustomed to see the veteran Walter perched in the highest niche of western sport, for season after season.

Westbrook Placed at No. 1.

Walter K. Westbrook, the doughty Detroit left hand expert, is ranked No. 1. Louis Kuhler Jr. of Cincinnati receives No. 2 honors, and Kirk M. Reid of Cleveland is No. 3 man. Chicago has four players in the first ten, Al Green being at No. 7 and Arthur Hubbell No. 10.

In the women's rating Miss Marion Leighton of this city has slipped from No. 1 rank to No. 2, with Mrs. A. F. Riess of Saginaw, Mich., as No. 1. Mrs. Riess conquered Miss Leighton in the finals of the western tournament at the South Side club here. Only two other Chicago women are rated in the first ten, Miss Katherine Waldo, No 4, and Mrs. Leo Alter, No. 6.

Lott Best of Juniors.

George Lott's supremacy in the junior class puts him away in front in the ranking of the youths, and Emmet Pare of Chicago heads the roster of boy stars. Doris Kinsel of Chicago is ra'ed first among girl players.

The ranking committee was composed of J. G. McKay, Indianapolis, Fred D. Burns, Cincinnati, and Leo J. Lunn, Chicago, chairman.

Records in national clay court, western, tri-state, state and city tournaments, and those of respective tennis centers provided the basis for the committee's ranking. Following are the leaders in the ranking tables:

MEN'S SINGLES.

1. Walter Westbrook, Detroit. 2. Louis Kuhler Jr., Cincinnati. 3. Kirk M. Reid, Cleveland. 4. George M. Lott Jr., Chicago. 5. Walter T. Hayes, Chicago. 6. John Hennessey, Indianapolis. 7. A. L. Green Jr., Chicago. 8. Frederic Bastian, Indianapolis. 9. Harold Bacon, Cleveland. 10. Arthur D. Hubbell, Chicago.
11. George O'Connell, Chicago. 12. John Virden, Cleveland. 13. Ralph H. Burdick, Indianapolis. 14. John R. Kelley, Chicago. 15. Charles Carran, Cleveland. 16. Albert Kipp, Indianapolis. 17. Tullie Thomas, Milwaukee. 18. John G. McKay, Indianapolis. 19. Edward Wilson, Chicago. 20. Ralph Osier, Cleveland.

MEN'S DOUBLES.

1. Walter Westbrook and John Hennessey, Detroit and Indianapolis. 2. Ralph Burdick and Frederick Bastian, Indianapolis. 3. Walter T. Hayes and Alexander Squair, Chicago. 4. R. A. Hollohan and Nathaniel Emerson, Cincinnati. 5 Louis Kuhler Jr. and Ray Kunkel, Cincinnati. 6. George Lott Jr. and Edward Wilson, Chicago. 7. Kirk M. Reid and Charles Carran, Cleveland. 8. Jerry Weber and James Weber, Chicago. 9. Albrecht Kipp and John G. McKay, Indianapolis. 10. Henry C. Wick Jr. and Harold Bartel, Cleveland.

WOMEN'S SINGLES.

1. Mrs. A. F. Riess, Saginaw, Mich. 2. Miss Marion Leighton, Chicago. 3. Mrs. E. C. Johnson, Detroit. 4. Miss Katherine Waldo, Chicago. 5. Miss Barbara Kinsel, Cleveland. 6. Mrs. Lillian Alter, Chicago. 7. Mrs. R. S. Adams, Indianapolis. 8. Mrs. Howard Cordes, Cincinnati. 9. Miss Lillian Beker, Cleveland. 10. Miss Margaret Thompson, Lake Forest, Ill.
11. Miss Carrie Neely, Chicago. 12. Mrs. R. S. Stewart, Chicago. 13. Miss Jane McGovern, Cleveland. 14. Miss Claire Sieke, Cincinnati. 15. Mrs. L. E. Bailey, Chicago. 16. Miss Olga Strashun, Cincinnati. 17. Mrs. A. E. Michel, Chicago. 18. Miss Edith Meyer, Cincinnati. 19. Miss Eleanor Bradley, Chicago. 20. Vorsilla Mican, Chicago.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES.

1. Miss Marion Leighton and Mrs. Lillian Alter, Chicago. 2. Mrs. Ruth Riess and Miss Carrie Neely, Saginaw and Chicago. 3. Mrs. E. C. Johnson and Miss Jane McGovern, Detroit and Cleveland. 4. Miss Doris Kinsel and Miss Vorsilla Mican, Chicago. 5. Miss Helen House and Miss Lillian Beker, Cleveland. 6. Mrs. L. E. Bailey and Mrs. A. E. Michel, Chicago. 7. Miss Margaret Thompson and Miss Janet Pauline, Chicago. 8. Mrs. R. S. Stewart and Miss Katherine Waldo, Chicago. 9. Mrs. Howard Cordes and Miss Olga Strashun, Cincinnati. 10. Mrs. Alfred Loewe and Miss Mildred Taylor, Muskegon.

JUNIOR SINGLES.

1. George M. Lott Jr., Chicago. 2. Julius Barsowsky, Indianapolis. 3. Frank O'Connell, Chicago. 4. Ralph Stacey, Cincinnati. 5. Godfred Miller, South Bend, Ind. 6. Albert Daignat, Chicago. 7. Alfred Carrier, Chicago. 8. Mead Stasell, Western Springs, Ill. 9. Frank Donavan, Detroit. 10. Archie McCallum, Cincinnati. 11. Horace Bulen, Columbus, O. 12. Leo Kurock, Indianapolis. 13. Philip Mohler, Kokomo, Ind. 14. Ralph Whitsett, Wilmette, Ill. 15. Frank Reynolds, Wilmette, Ill. 16. Frederick La Palle, Valparaiso, Ind. 17. George Jonninas, Chicago. 18. James Hart, Indianapolis. 19. Frank Roth, Indianapolis. 20. Lawrence Olsen, Chicago.

BOYS' SINGLES.

1. Emmet J. Pare, Chicago. 2. Edward Lejeck, Chicago. 3. Thomas Wilson, Indianapolis. 4. George Holloway, Chicago. 5. Clifton Nelson, Chicago. 6. Kenneth Chase, Indianapolis. 7. Bud Markey, Indianapolis. 8. Gordon Brandt, Chicago. 9. James Wilson, Fort Wayne, Ind. 10. Edward Schultz, Cincinnati.

GIRLS' SINGLES.

1. Doris Kinsel, Chicago. 2. Clara Zisko, Cincinnati. 3. Marion Tegtmeyer, Chicago. 4 Frances Colli, River Forest. 5. Ruth Duncombe, Highland Park, Ill. 6. Evelyn Charney, Chicago. 7. Phillis Hieges, Valparaiso, Ind. 8. Helen Obermeyer, Chicago. 9. Peggy Hammel, South Bend. 10. Josephine Blanchard, Fort Sheridan.

JACK HENDRICKS QUITS AS PILOT AT INDIANAPOLIS

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 23.—Jack Hendricks, veteran manager of the Indianapolis baseball club of the American association, resigned his position today to become effective immediately. William C. Smith, owner of the team, and Hendricks both said the resignation was accepted with friendly conditions prevailing.

It is reported that Hendricks has received several offers for other baseball positions. In 1918 Hendricks piloted the St. Louis Nationals. Except for that year he has managed the Indianapolis club since 1912.

It was said here in certain circles tofight that an effort would be made to sign Donie Bush, former manager of the Washington Americans.

SQUASH TITLE WON BY COWARD

New York, Dec. 22.—Thomas Coward yesterday won the national squash tennis championship by defeating Auguste J. Cordier, a former champion, 15—11, 15—6, 15—12.

Intercollegiate Chess Meet Starts Wednesday

New York, Dec. 23.—[Special.]—The first of the annual intercollegiate tournaments of the Intercollegiate Chess league, comprising Cornell, Pennsylvania, City college, New York university, and Massachusetts Institute of Technology, will begin a four days' meeting at the rooms of the Brooklyn Chess club Wednesday morning. City college will endeavor to defend the title. Columbia, Yale, Harvard and Princeton will begin their tournament, lasting three days, on Thursday morning at the Manhattan Chess club.

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BROWNS TO PLAY CARDS 2 GAMES

St. Louis, Dec. 23.—The St. Louis Browns and Cardinals will engage in a two game spring series, it was announced by Clarence F. Lloyd, secretary of the Cardinals. The games will be played April 12 and 13, preceding the opening of the regular schedules.

Macks and Phillies Play 7 Game Series in April

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Athletics and the Phillies will play a seven game series here next spring. Four games will be played at Shibe park, the home of the Athletics, and three at the Phillies' park. The series will start at Shibe park on April 1 and the other dates are April 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12. Last spring the Phillies won the series.

The Phillies will train at Leesburg, Fla., again, while the Macks will go back to Montgomery, Ala.

Lake Placid Carnival Draws Williams Team

Williamstown, Mass., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Williams will be represented in the annual intercollegiate winter carnival at Lake Placid, N. Y., on Dec. 31 and Jan. 1 by a team of five men. The list includes Brewster, Heywood, Washburn, Brown and Safford. Brewster tied for individual honors at the carnival last year, and scored enough points to give the Purple third place in the team ranking.

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SINCLAIR MAY SEND GREY LAG TO ASCOT

New York, Dec. 23.—Two American horses, Zev and Grey Lag, have been nominated by their owner, Harry F. Sinclair, to run in the Ascot gold cup race in England next June, but it is probable that Grey Lag will be the only one to compete.

Walter S. Vosburgh, official handicapper of the Jockey club, announced today the entries were made by Mr. Sinclair. Since they were posted, however, Mr. Sinclair has agreed with Pierre Wertheimer to enter Zev against Epinard, the French horse, in at least three sweepstakes in this country later in the summer than the Ascot.

Grey Lag, now a 5 year old, has been considered one of the best horses developed in this country in a generation, remarkable alike for speed and staying powers. The Ascot is at two miles, weight for age, and had its first running in 1807. One American horse has won it—Foxhall, owned by Foxhall Keene and his brother, J. R. Keene, in 1890.

Mr. Vosburgh spoke at a dinner which Chairman August Belmont of the Jockey club gave to metropolitan turf writers.

CHICAGO PINMEN STILL LEADERS IN AURORA TOURNEY

Aurora, Ill., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Chicago bowlers retained the lead in all four events of the eleventh annual interstate bowling tournament here tonight, after pinmen from four states had attacked the wood. Jimmy Smith and his partner, "Doc" Ehlke, both of the Smith Arcade five of Milwaukee, threatened the leaders in the doubles with 1,246, which landed them in fifth place. Leading scores today:

FIVE MEN.

Smith's Arcade, Milw.				Van Ens'e, Milwaukee (2,842)			
Jones	225	157	170	H. Wetzel	178	167	207
Ehlke	166	152	196	Prof.	164	168	192
Kuh.	166	152	196	Schl.	194	188	193
Kuhl	166	152	196	Wetzel	190	188	193
Smith	189	191	201	H.Wetzel	183	194	164
Totals	941	880	1014	Totals	909	925	915

Hummel Downing, Milwaukee (2,748).

DOUBLES.

J. Smith	158	225	187
J. Ehlke (Mil.)	201	169	194 — 1,946
C. Sabers	201	169	194
J. Vana (Mil.)	170	191	215 — 1,228
J. Wilson	170	191	215
H. Klatt (Mil.)	207	164	210 — 1,182

SINGLES.

J. Tuida (Chicago)	243	182	650
E. Tabor (Milwaukee)	213	226	613
A. Wenholz (Mil.)	177	215	619
A. Brown (Mayw'd)	253	171	619

5,000 BALL FANS GIVE $238 TO SALVATION ARMY

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Five thousand persons watched a baseball game here today when Billy Holke's Old Timers defeated Al Dretche's All Stars, 8 to 0. During the game Salvation Army kettles were passed among the crowd, and netted $238.37. The contest is the latest ever played in Minneapolis.

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FARM & GARDEN By FRANK RIDGWAY

LOW HEADED APPLE TREES WIN IN TEN YEAR TEST.

ORCHARDISTS will find answers to several doubtful questions about the pruning of apple trees in the conclusions drawn recently by experimenters at the New York station. For many years fruit growers have debated the comparative value of high and low heading of trees and the heavy and light pruning methods.

Good standard varieties of apples, such as King, Rome, Greening, Spy, McIntosh, Hubbardston, Esopus, Bolken, and Baldwin, were used in the pruning tests that extended over a period of several years. In making comparisons of little and much pruning with trees all headed about two feet above the ground when set out in the orchard, horticulturists say: "It would seem from these experiments that, after the tree is started properly, little pruning will later produce a tree with a larger head, which has a greater bearing area, with less effort on the part of the orchardist than will follow from much pruning. This condition developed in about ten years in our experiments and the tree maintained equally as good shape and symmetry. This will apply to all standard varieties."

The root systems of the low headed trees were more firmly established in the soil and thus offered greater resistance to the wind than high headed trees, the workers observed. They also found that the low headed trees were much larger and stockier in the trunks and branches and had larger heads with a greater bearing area than did the high headed trees.

IRISH NET MEN FIRST TO FILE FOR DAVIS CUP

New York, Dec. 23.—Ireland, which made its debut last season as a Davis cup contender, has filed the first challenge for the 1924 contest for international team tennis honors, it was announced tonight by the United States Lawn Tennis association.

Under the zone system, established last season for the first time, Ireland will compete in the European zone, and, according to reports, will enter a strong team. Ireland made a favorable showing in the 1923 Davis cup tournament, defeating India in the first round and losing to France in the second round.

In connection with its challenge, the Irish Lawn Tennis association extended an invitation to Americans to compete in the Irish championships June 16 to 21, the week preceding the English championships at Wimbledon.

Invite Crown Prince of Norway to U. S. Ski Meet

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 23.—Crown Prince Olaf of Norway has been invited by Mayor George E. Leach of Minneapolis to compete in the northwest ski tournament to be held here beginning Feb. 3, the mayor announced today.

KOPSKY AND HIS JAMS TO START 6 DAY RACE

Old Joe Kopsky, hero of thirty-eight six day bike races, will go to the post with all the international stars when the next contest starts at the Coliseum on Jan. 5, this assuring the fans that there will be but few idle moments during the long grind. As a trouble-maker Kopsky is in a class by himself.

In the last race here he started jamming before the contest was an hour old, with the result that three teams were lapped in the first three hours. It was also Kopsky who started the big jam early in the race that landed the teams of Kockler and Stockholm, Brocco and Coburn, and Kopsky and Lawrence a lap ahead of the field, where they stayed until the finish.

JOHNNY MEYERS TO TRAIN WITH COLLEGE MATMEN

Middleweight Champion Johnny Meyers, who will defend his title against Joe Parelli, Italian champion, on Doc Krone's all star card at the Ashland auditorium on Jan. 3, will go to Bloomington, Ind., to finish his training under Jack Reynolds, wrestling coach at Indiana university, generally regarded as welterweight champion.

There Johnny will have the advantage of training with the Indiana university mat squad, with about forty men, of all weights. Meyers thus should get plenty of wrestling to fit him for a gruelling contest with the Italian challenger.

Krone is contemplating the matching of John Kilonis with some good man on the same card. Farmer Burns has asked that his middleweight, Hugh Nichols, be given a crack at the Greek

PANAMA JOE GANS SIGNS TO MEET KARR IN EAST CHICAGO GO

PANAMA JOE GANS will battle Johnny Karr in the windup of the New Year's boxing show at East Chicago. George Oswego, matchmaker for the Indiana club, announced this yesterday.

Karr was originally scheduled to meet Morrie Schlaifer, the hard hitting Omaha welterweight, but a couple of days ago Schlaifer sent word that he would be unable to keep his engagement, having been badly battered in a previous contest.

Oswego had to offer Jimmy Dunn, manager of Karr, additional inducements to clinch the match with Panama Joe. Karr was wary of the hard hitting colored boy who holds the colored welterweight and middleweight titles. Karr and Gans have agreed to weigh in at 150 pounds.

In addition to signing Gans yesterday, Oswego also closed with Manager Flynn to have Rocky Smith, another of Flynn's boxers, battle Patsy Rocco in a ten round engagement. Shuffle Callahan and Jack McCarty will meet in an eight round contest.

The bouts were originally scheduled to be held in the afternoon, but Matchmaker Oswego has decided to put on the program in the evening.

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Vic Hirsch, Chicago welterweight, who has been gaining quite a reputation in New England rings, has returned to his home for the holidays. He is scheduled to box Eddie Shevlin in Boston the latter part of January, in a match advertised for the New England welterweight title.

MILLERS LOSE HOCKEY MEN.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 23.—Dave Beaugardin and J. E. McLaughlin, former Canadian hockey stars, who had planned to join the new Minneapolis team of the United States Amateur Hockey association, will be unable to perform for the Millers this season, according to word received today by Fred Ro que, local coach.

CRIQUI'S HEART, NOT HIS HANDS, ENDS RING CAREER

PARIS, Dec. 23.—Eugene Criqui's pugilistic career is ended. The abandonment of his titles of featherweight champion of France and Europe, owing to the injuries he received in his bout for charity against Hebrans on Oct. 6, is expected to be permanent.

Criqui's hands, which he smashed on the Belgian champion's head, are not so badly broken as his heart over his failure to defeat Johnny Dundee in New York.

Dundee Ends Dream.

Through his victory over Kilbane the Frenchman achieved an ambition of twelve long years, divided between the ring and the battle front. For sixty days his name was blazoned on the billboards as featherweight champion of the world, but Dundee ended all this.

The sledge hammer blows Criqui received from Dundee at the Polo grounds broke down some of his indomitable spirit. The jeers of the bleacher fans did the rest.

Stayed Fifteen Rounds.

"I was unconscious on the floor until these shouts reached my ears, 'So you're a champion,'" Criqui told the correspondent. "I decided to show them how a champion went down, and never would have quit if I had been killed. I stayed fifteen rounds. I don't know how it was that Johnny didn't lay me out for keeps when I came up for the second round. Don't ever talk boxing to me again, except for another chance at Dundee."

JACK REDDY NEW SCHLAIFER PILOT

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 23.—Morrie Schlaifer, welterweight boxer of Omaha, will be under the management of Jack Reddy, St. Paul fight promoter, effective Jan. 15, it was announced today. Schlaifer's contract with Pat Boyle and Billy Uvick of Omaha expires Jan. 14, and it is expected Schlaifer will move his family to this city. Fred Fulton, Minneapolis heavyweight, also has been signed by Reddy.

Youth Forces Stribling to Make Start in Jersey

New York, Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Young Stribling, the Georgia battler, and Dave Rosenberg are going to have a twelve round matinée at the First Regiment armory, Newark, on New Year's day. Stribling could not klok into New York except over the six round route because of his age, but Jersey offered to give Stribling a chance.

GEORGIA CARDS TEN GAMES.

Athens, Ga., Dec. 23.—Ten games six with southern conference opponents are listed on the 1924 football schedule for the University of Georgia, made public here today. Georgia will pay Yale at New Haven on Oct. 11. The schedule:

Sept. 27, Mercer at Georgia; Oct. 4, South Carolina at Georgia; Oct. 11, Georgia at Yale; Oct. 18, Georgia at Furman; [illegible] Oct. 25, Georgia at Vanderbilt; Nov. 1, Transylvania at Georgia; Nov. 8, Georgia at Virginia; Nov. 15 Georgia at Auburn; Nov. 27, Georgia at Alabama; Nov. 29, Georgia at Centre.

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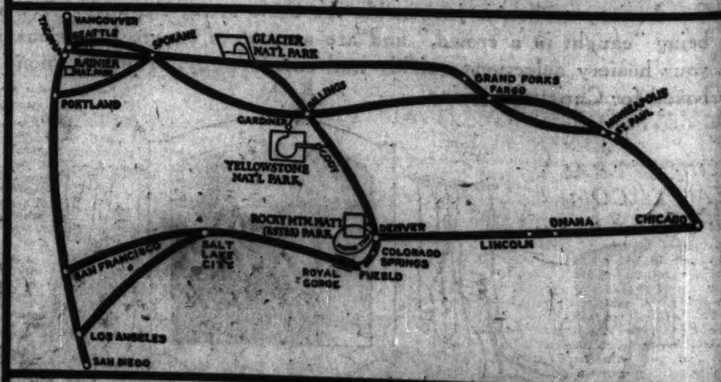

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HOLIDAY GRID BATTLES EXCITE FANS ON COAST

BY WALTER ECKERSALL.

Pasadena, Cal., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—As in former years when scores of the leading football elevens from the middle west and Atlantic states came to the coast to meet the best in this section, the Golden state again is getting all excited over the two intersectional games to be played on Christmas day and New Year's.

On Tuesday afternoon the Haskell Indians, from Lawrence, Kas., will meet the Olympic club of San Francisco in Washington park, Los Angeles. On New Year's day the Naval academy eleven from Annapolis will clash with the University of Washington, runnerup for the Pacific Coast conference championship, in the rose bowl in Pasadena.

Indians on the Ground.

While the New Year's day game will eclipse the one to be played on Tuesday, the fans in this section are anxious to see a real Indian team in action, and they also claim the redskins will have to be at their best to beat the eleven from Frisco, which is composed of former stars of coast universities.

The Indians have been here since Friday, and their workouts have impressed those who have seen them run through the signals and handle the ball. John Levi, the sterling full back, who generally is considered a second edition of Jim Thorpe of Carlisle fame, has startled the fans by his long passes and punting.

According to Coach Dick Hanley the big fullback will play an important part in Tuesday's battle and he expects his team to win by a comfortable margin.

The Olympic club team will arrive tomorrow morning and both teams will take light workouts on the gridiron in the afternoon. The game is attracting a lot of interest and a capacity crowd will be on hand, according to the promoters.

Sailors to See Game.

All arrangements have been practically completed for the New Year's day struggle. Commander Byron McCaniess of Annapolis and Darwin Meisner, graduate manager of Washington, have been here for several days completing details. Contrary to the usual custom the game will be handled by officials of the competing institutions instead of by the tournament of roses committee. The latter body will be given a certain sum for use of its bowl.

According to Commander McCaniess and Manager Meisner, the elevens will be here the end of the week. The Navy is scheduled to leave Annapolis on Tuesday and Washington will depart one day later. If present plans mature, the struggle should be about the most colorful of all games played on the coast.

At least 10,000 sailors from the Pacific fleet will witness the game, and a picked band of 300 pieces from all ships will be on hand. In addition to the sailors, there will be thousands of others who will want to see the game and tickets already are at a premium.

While neither Navy, nor Washington, is a champion in its respective section, each is representative of its district, and they will struggle all the way to uphold the honor of football as played in their section.

3 COAST BOYS TO MAKE COAST TRIP WITH NAVY

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Three sons of California will be among the Naval academy backs when the sailor football team plays against University of Washington at Pasadena in the Golden state on New Year's day.

The California middies are Alan Shapley, Vallejo; Herbert R. Ballinger, San Pedro, and Albert Handly, Los Angeles. The latter has just been added to the list. The other backs who will be taken are: McKee, Barchet, Cullen, Devens, Flippin, and Harvey.

Shapley is counted upon to be the mainspring of the Navy's attack. Powerful and fast, he has during the last half of the Navy's regular schedule carried the ball more and gained a greater number of yards than any other Navy back. This was particularly true in the Army game. He has been groomed to fill any position in the back field.

Ballinger is the Navy's greatest threat as a drop kicker. He scored by this method against both Pennsylvania State and Princeton.

The members of the squad, now on a brief vacation, will return to Annapolis tomorrow morning and take their last practice at the academy in the afternoon. At 10 o'clock Christmas morning the squad will leave, and though most of the midshipmen are on leave there will be sufficient naval contingent here to give the players a big sendoff.

ILLINOIS TRACK TEAM TO COMPETE IN DRAKE RELAYS

Des Moines, Ia., Dec. 23.—The entire strength of the University of Illinois' track team will be entered in the fifteenth annual Drake relay meet here next April 25-26, Athletic Director K. L. Wilson was assured today.

The week before the Drake meet the Illini will travel to Berkeley, Cal., for a dual meet with the University of California. On their way home they will stop at Des Moines and participate in the Drake classic.

FORMER GREATS ON OLYMPIC "11"

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 23.—On the lineup of the Olympic club football team which will play Haskell Indians in Los Angeles on Christmas day is Full Back Jack Patrick, one of the mainstays of the Stanford eleven two years ago; Capt. Clyde King, former Navy star, and other players whose ability has been demonstrated in many an intercollegiate clash.

NAVY IS ANXIOUS TO KEEP FOLWELL

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Bob Folwell, whose contract as head coach of the Naval academy football team expired at the end of the regular season, has been asked to continue in that position by the Navy Athletic association, and will probably accept. Sentiment here is unanimous in favor of Folwell's continuance as head coach.

GASOLINE ALLEY—'TWAS THE NIGHT BEFORE CHRISTMAS

EAST AGAINST WEST

FOOTBALL teams from the east have a 12 to 8 edge over their rivals from the Pacific seaboard in intersectional games played since 1899, when the sections first met. Two of the twenty-two games staged resulted in ties. The east and middle west has scored 315 points, against 185 by their western rivals. The record follows:

Teams.	Date.	Place.	Score.
	1899.		
California-Carlisle	Dec 25	San Francisco	0-2
	1902.		
Stanford-University of Michigan	Jan. 1	Pasadena	0-49
	1907.		
Washington State-St. Louis university	Dec.25	Spokane	11-0
	1908.		
Multnomah club-St. Louis university	Jan. 1	Portland	11-6
	1915.		
Oregon Aggies-Michigan Aggies	Oct. 30	East Lansing	20-0
University of Montana-Syracuse	Nov. 25	Missoula	6-44
Oregon Aggies-Syracuse	Dec. 1	Portland	0-55
Occidental-Syracuse	Dec. 6	Los Angeles	0-35
	1916.		
Washington State-Brown	Jan. 1	Pasadena	14-0
Oregon Aggies-Nebraska	Oct. 21	Portland	7-47
	1917.		
University of Oregon-Pennsylvania	Jan. 1	Pasadena	14-0
	1919.		
Mare Island-Great Lakes	Jan. 1	Pasadena	8-17
	1920.		
University of Oregon-Harvard	Jan. 1	Pasadena	6-7
Washington State-Nebraska	Nov. 25	Lincoln	21-20
University of Washington-Dartmouth	Nov. 27	Seattle	7-28
	1921.		
University of California-Ohio State	Jan. 1	Pasadena	28-0
University of Washington-Penn State	Dec. 3	Seattle	7-21
University of Arizona-Centre	Dec. 26	San Diego	0-38
	1922.		
University of California-Washington and Jefferson	Jan. 21	Pasadena	0-0
Gonzaga-West Virginia	Dec. 25	San Diego	13-21
Stanford-Pittsburgh	Dec. 30	Palo Alto	0-17
	1923.		
University of Southern California-Penn State	Jan. 1	Pasadena	14-3

RECAPITULATION.

Games played—	Won.	Lost.	Tied.	Points scored.	Per cent.
East (22)	12	8	2	315	.600
West (22)	8	12	2	185	.400

FAN CLOUTS REFEREE AT K. OF C. CAGE GAME

Columbus of the north section Auburn Park of the south section, and Damen of the west section emerged victorious in Knights of Columbus Basketball league feature struggles yesterday.

Auburn Park, south section leader, trimmed Dowling, 24 to 11, in a game which aroused the ire of some excited fan, who took exception to a ruling of Referee W. W. Fotch. The official called a foul on a Dowling player, and the fan rushed on the floor at Eighth regiment armory and struck Fotch. The overheated spectator was ejected from the armory.

After having its lead twice tied, Columbus council's fast spurt in the last three minutes accounted for 7 points and conquered Brownson, 19 to 12, at Broadway armory, where the north section games were played. The victory helped Columbus tighten its hold on first place. Columbus led, 6 to 3, at the half, but Brownson tied the count, 8 to 8, in the second period and the score remained deadlocked, 12 to 12, until Columbus' spurt.

In the west section Damen ran up a 23 to 9 triumph over Hildebrand at St. Ignatius gym and tied Barry for second place. Fleming tallied 11 of the winner's points on four baskets and three penalty tosses. Lineups and scores:

COLUMBUS (19).	B	F	P	BROWNSON (12).	B	F	P
McGraw,rf	2	0	0	Corcoran,rf	0	1	0
Parenti,lf	2	3	0	Bordes,lf	0	1	0
O'Connor,c	1	1	2	Dooley,c	1	1	0
Companion	0	2	0	Ward,rg	0	2	1
Nolan,lg	0	0	2	O'Keefe,lg	0	0	1
Carmody,rf	0	0	1	Finley,lg	0	1	0

Referee—Grogin.

OTHER SCORES.

Lafayette, 22; O'Connor, 18.
De Soto, 22; Bennepin, 11.
Marquette, 26; University, 10.

SOUTH SECTION.

AUBURN PARK (24).	B	F	P	DOWLING (11).	B	F	P
Morley,rf	0	3	0	Brown,rf	0	0	0
O.Blumm'r,lf	2	0	1	Rogers,lf	0	2	0
Sanders,c	2	0	2	Daley,c	1	0	0
Schultz,rg	0	1	0	Reynolds,rf	1	0	1
R.Blumm'r,lg	1	0	1	Cosgrove,lg	0	1	0
Rhea,lf	2	0	1				

OTHER SCORES.

La Salle, 19; Aquinas, 11.
Loyola-Hyde Park, 20; Kedzie, 11.
Englewood, 30; Perez, 20.

WEST SECTION.

DAMEN (23).	B	F	P	HILDEBRAND (9).	B	F	P
Fleming,rf	4	3	0	Cribben,rf	0	0	0
Klassane,lf	0	0	3	Connelly,lf	1	1	0
M'Murphy,c	2	0	0	Smith,c	2	1	1
Oeffer,rg	2	0	3	Gordon,rg	0	1	0
Kelleher,lg	1	0	1	Cooney,lg	0	0	2

OTHER SCORES.

O'Connell, 19; St. Cyr, 8.
Tonti, 22; Americus, 16.
Carroll, 34; Feehan, 16.

In Motordom

By J. L. JENKINS

"IF folks want to 'lower taxes,'" observes A. R. Hirst, the dynamic highway commissioner of Wisconsin, "all they have to do is to chloroform all students and junk all motor vehicles." He adds in his latest bulletin to tax payers and road users of the state that schools and roads take all of the taxes. His state pays $45,000,000 a year for roads, he says, and the income from automobile taxes amounts to $6,000,000 annually. He believes the road problem will be solved when every automobile owner considers his auto tax as honest and legitimate as his gas, oil, and tire bills.

Contracts have been signed for the construction of an automobile speedway near Arpajon, France, according to Paris dispatches. It will be built along the lines of the world famous Indianapolis oval. The big track will serve as a testing ground for French manufacturers as well as for speed thrills.

Secretary of State Emmerson has issued orders to his automobile inspectors that the state law which requires all license plates to be kept clean and readable must be enforced to the letter. Gasoline baths are in order.

Harrison Boyce, inventor of the Boyce motometer, has announced his intention of devoting his entire time to the promotion of his new fuel ingredient "Boyce-ite," retiring from the active management of the patent concern in order to complete his rapidly growing organization. E. V. Hennecke, former sales manager for the motometer company, will act as general manager.

BUCKEYE FIVE TO PLAY PENN AT CLEVELAND

Columbus, O., Dec. 23.—After a rest in which they have battled final exams and have had several days at home for Christmas, Ohio State's basketball squad is scheduled to reassemble here Wednesday. The Buckeyes are slated to lock horns Thursday with the strong University of Pennsylvania quintet of the Eastern Intercollegiate league at Cleveland.

Except for a few light workouts the Scarlet and Gray squad has been idle since Dec. 15, when it swamped Wittenberg's team, 52 to 26. Coach Olsen plans to stage a good workout here the day after Christmas. He expects to take his charges to Cleveland the following morning.

RUTH IN VAUDEVILLE.

Babe Ruth, home run star of the majors, is going on the stage again. The Yankee star signed a contract to appear in vaudeville, Ruth's last adventure in theatrics was not highly successful. As a singer he was a sure flop. The Babe promises not to sing this time.

CANADIANS, THISTLES IN 0 TO 0 DEADLOCK

(Picture on back page.)

Canadian club and Thistle soccer teams battled for two hours in an overtime game at Brickslayers' park yesterday and at the end were just where they started. The score was deadlocked at 0 to 0. It was a fourth round game of national cup competition.

Few finer defensive games have been played in Chicago, and throughout the long struggle each team had but one real opportunity to score. At all other times it was fiercely fought. Guy Weir and Bob Hannah were the heroes, sharing honors with Vic Neate and Steve Smith, the rival goalkeepers.

Pass Up Chance to Score.

The first half was still young when the Canadians passed upon their chance to count. They were awarded a penalty kick after Weir fouled Phillips, but Smith blocked Hannah's toe effort.

Tallman tried hard to score for the Thistles in the second half when he eluded both Hannah and Anderson, but Neate's stop blocked what looked to be a sure counter.

Play Again Sunday.

During the thirty minute overtime period neither team could get in a position to break through for a score. The teams will battle it out again at the same field next Sunday. Lineups:

THISTLES (0).		CANAD. CLUB (0).
S. Smith	Goal	Neate
Weir	Right back	Anderson
Gardiner	Left back	Hannah
Cummings	Right half	Byrne
Sutton	Center half	Russell
Cummings	Left half	Reid
Fyle	Outside right	Corbett
Wiley	Inside right	Walker
R. Tallman	Center	Phillips
J. Tallman	Inside left	Cummings
Vidano	Outside left	Davidson

Referee—Jack Johnstone.

Bricklayers will meet the Industrial Mutual club of Flint, Mich., in the fourth round of the national cup competition at 35th street and Wentworth avenue tomorrow afternoon at 2:15.

LOWER PRICES AT GRID GAMES FOR YALE STUDENTS

New York, Dec. 23.—[Special.]—At the December meeting of the board of control of the Yale university athletic association approval was given in principle of the proposal to reduce the cost of football tickets for students so that the cost of witnessing all games played in the bowl would be nominal. The matter was gone over thoroughly and it was voted to discuss the question with the athletic authorities at Harvard and Princeton, with the idea of having the three universities act in concert on the plan.

The plan, on a broad basis, if adopted, would give the students of the three universities the chance to see their football teams play not only the early season games but the so-called big games at a figure which it is thought every one could well afford.

'Y' COLLEGE FIVE STARTS 1,300 MILE JAUNT THURSDAY

Chicago Y. M. C. A. college cagers will begin a 1,300 mile trip on Thursday, which will take them to Detroit, through Canada, and end at Cleveland, O. Seven games will be played against Y. M. C. A. quintets, the first on Thursday night at Motor City.

This trip is in keeping with the policy of the school in sending its teams on jaunts during the holidays of each year. In recent years the college has toured the east and south, while last year Iowa was invaded. Following are the games scheduled for the current trip:

Dec. 27—Detroit Central "Y"; Dec. 28—Toronto West Side "Y"; Dec. 31—Peterboro, Ont. "Y"; Jan. 1—Toronto Central "Y"; Jan. 2—Hamilton, Ont. "Y"; Jan. 3—Niagara Falls, Ont. "Y"; Jan. 5—Cleveland East Side "Y."

Cornell College Gives Letters to 18 Grid Men

Mt. Vernon, Ia., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Eighteen men on the Cornell football squad were awarded a "C" for their splendid work on the gridiron this fall.

IN the WAKE of the NEWS

DO YOU REMEMBER WAY BACK WHEN:

PHELPS, DODGE & PALMER'S wholesale shoe house was at the northwest corner of Adams and Wells (1858?—C. M. C.

Present Diversey boulevard was Edson avenue?—M. M.

We changed the phonograph needle after each record?—J. M. N.

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Battling Nelson knocked out Joe

Gans twice inside of three months (1908)?—L. W. J.

The four corners of Madison and Oakley were occupied by Cap Wing's Sideboard, Billy Thumser's drug store, Mrs. French's cigar store, and the Pot Win homestead (1852)?—F. B. P.

Old fashioned flat boats, loaded with cordwood, came down the ol' Mississippi?—Alf-are-em, Dubuque, Ia.

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The site now occupied by the Board of Trade was a circus ground?—G. F. Y.

Girls were at least two fall starched petticoats?—Post Script.

Women's gloves had hooks and a cord and laced like men's shoes?—M. G. B.

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The day after the circus left town, we kids would "comb the lot" for lost valuables?—Baron, Dubuque, Ia.

Every village had its Silvert Cornet band?—W. L. S., McCook, Neb.

The barber kept a jar of leeches on the shelf to relieve full - blooded patrons? (Haven't seen one since 1881, have you?) —W. E. G.

THIS WAKE IS CONDUCTED BY HARVEY T. WOODRUFF. HELP! HELP!

The lunch cars "Little Palmer," "Little Commercial" and "Little Sherman" sited on three corners of La Salle and Lake, and you secured there the best pies in Chicago (1874)?—N. F., Long Lake, Ill.

Farm horses wore fly nets with trailing strings to keep off the flies?—Rena of Benton Harbor.

"Evangeline" ran at the Chicago opera house?—O. K.

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"L" trains had smokers for men?—Bernie.

About Thanksgiving time, Joseph Murphy appeared in repertoire at Hooley's, and Denman Thompson in "The Old Homestead" at McVickers, and Bartley Campbell in "The White Slave" at Sheihy's Academy of Music, and we loved forward to the plays with as much interest as our turkey dinners (late '90s and early '00s)?—G. M. S.

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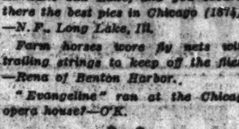
The department headed "Can Two Live on $15 a Week?" ran every Sunday in the



W. G. N., and elicited many replies in the affirmative!—Jojo.

Newspapers printed announcements of marriage licenses, including ages of bride and groom, daily.

The Merrill Twins had a "Gospel Ship" out on the west side?—W. H., Rock Island, Ill.

Woods and Waters

By BOB BECKER

POISON SQUADS KILL MANY ANIMALS.

AFTER reading how government hunters and poison squads have been waging war on coyotes, bob cats, and wolves, and other predatory animals on the west, you wonder if there are any of these beasts left in some localities. An average force of 250 hunters and trappers were employed by the government last year and this gang bagged the scalps of more than 90,000 predatory animals, including mountain lions and bears, as well as coyotes and lynxes.

These professional pest killers are an interesting bunch of men. Keen observers, great trailers, and capable of covering many miles each day as they follow their trap lines, they match their wits against some mighty smart wild animals.

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We got acquainted with a couple of these chaps one fall when hunting and trapping in the plateau country in Harney county, Oregon. For several weeks we had been working that beautiful region along Emigrant creek, where all kinds of animals from beaver to deer were quite abundant.

Coming back to civilization with hundreds of small mammal skins, we passed a log cabin which seemed to be surrounded by drying coyote pelts. Naturally we stopped to get acquainted and learn about the work of the fellows who were trapping these animals. The trappers told us that they had been scrapping with one old wolf for some time before they had snared him.

Old "Big Foot" had refused to stick his foot in any kind of a trap. But the big fellow finally fell, fooled by a trick which these master trappers had pulled.

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During the last couple of years, poisoning has supplanted trapping in many localities infested by coyotes. Last year the biological survey estimates that fully 75,000 coyotes were killed by poisoning operations besides a number of wolves, bobcats, and mountain lions. One man in the Lemhi National forest in Idaho, by use of an automobile, maintained a poison line 700 miles in extent. This kind of stunt sure lays out the coyotes.

One stockman has found as many as twenty-two dead coyotes near a single poison station. Carrying on such extensive poisoning operations means a good many dollars saved to stock raisers, especially the sheep man. If you have ever camped in a country where thousands of sheep were being pastured, you known how the coyotes flock to that region.

We once tried sleeping in the vicinity of one of these sheep bands upon which scores of coyotes were preying, and talk about music! The coyotes made the night so musical with their howling that we had a darned hard time getting in any sleep at all.

GRANGE WINS 18.2 TITLE OF FRANCE

PARIS, Dec. 23.—Felix Grange last night won the 18.2 balk line billiard championship of France, defeating Edmund Derbier. Grange had an average of 148, as against 73 for Derbier.

Grange now desires to arrange a match with Roger Conti at 2,500 points, to be played in January, in order to decide whether he or Conti shall represent France at the world championship tournament in the United States next autumn.

LOCAL BASKETBALL SCORES.

Chicago Mills, 35; Auburn M. E., 15.
Pulaski 95's, 17; Davis Square, 14.
Pulaski 105's, 22; Davis Square, 2a.
Pulaski 115's, 38; Davis Square, 6.
Customers' Accounts, 22; Motor Sheiks, 19.

HOPPE TO KEEP IN TRIM WITH EXHIBITION PLAY

New York, Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Willie Hoppe today completed arrangements for exhibition games which will serve to get him in shape for the challenge match for the world's 18.2 title which will be played against Welker Cochran in Boston on Jan. 10 to 12. On Jan. 7 and 8 he will play a 1,200 point match against a leading semi-professional at George Slosson's academy in Boston, and on Jan. 9, the day before the Cochran match, he tentatively is scheduled to play in New Haven. Cochran will give exhibitions in Philadelphia on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

NEW DISTRICTS FOR AMATEUR FEDERATION

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—The National Amateur Athletic Federation of America will hold its annual meeting at the national headquarters of the American Red Cross in Washington, Monday, Dec. 31, according to an announcement issued by the president of the federation, Henry Breckinridge, former assistant secretary of war.

Delegates from all the constituent members of the federation will be present, including those from the army and navy of the United States, the United States Lawn Tennis association, the American Gold association, the National Collegiate Athletic association, the Playgrounds and Recreation association, the Girl Scouts, Camp Fire Girls, Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., Jewish Welfare board, American Physical Education association, American Gymnastic union, Boy Scouts, Boys' club federation, National Rifle association and from the large number of district federations already formed.

Work for Girl Scouts.

The principal business of the meeting, Col. Breckinridge said, will be the reports of officers and committees and the admission of a number of district federations recently formed, especial interest centering around the report of a committee headed by Mrs. Herbert Hoover, president of the Girl Scouts of America, concerning the proper regulation and development of the participation of girls and women in games and sports.

The committee on citizen ship training, called together over a year ago by the secretary of war to consider means of remedying certain conditions revealed by the selective service draft, notably the great proportion of men who were physically unfit for military service, has accepted the invitation to have representatives at the meeting. The committee delegated to the N. A. A. F. the task of devising standards of physical development — definite and measurable standards toward which the underdeveloped might work.

Admit New District.

The new districts seeking admission to the national body ar Central Iowa, Hampton Roads, Southern California, and the Tacoma district of the state of Washington.

NAVY DUE HERE ON WEDNESDAY

The United States Naval academy football team, which plays University of Washington at Pasadena, Cal., on New Year's day, will stop over in Chicago for a practice session on Wednesday. The Middies will arrive in the morning, and after practice on a local field in the afternoon will depart for the coast. Two other stopovers will also be made on the trip west to allow the members of the squad to limber up.

"MISQUOTED," IS PADDOCK'S REPLY TO A.A.U. CHARGES

Pasadena, Cal., Dec. 23. — [United News.]—Declaring that some of the actions of "certain Amateur Athletic union committees were unjust and arbitrary and not to the best interests of athletics," Charles W. Paddock, world's champion sprinter, today made answer to the A. A. U., which has refused to sanction his entrance in the Olympic games competition.

After Paddock had made certain comments upon athletic conditions in confidence before several New York newspaper men, he said, some one present "must have misunderstood and overstepped the ethics which newspaper men everywhere respect and sent in a story placing all the remarks in quotations and attaching my name to them with misinterpretation.

Disregard Explanation.

"The A. A. U. committee apparently has refused to regard my explanation, which I wrote to them. In much the same way this committee has charged me with professionalism.

"If those who have the final say in who shall go to the Olympic do not wish me as a candidate, I am content to retire. But I certainly shall work for those who follow, in order that they shall enjoy the same rights and privileges in athletics that belong to them as American citizens."

WILL MAKE STATEMENT

Pasadena, Cal., Dec. 23.—[By the Associated Press.]—Charles Paddock, in a statement made at his home here said that he did not believe President Prout of the National A. A. U. fully understood Paddock's attitude toward the A. A. U.

He said further that statements he was accused of having made, doubtless had been exaggerated to the A. A. U. president and that, if desired, a detailed statement would be made to the athletic official.

PENN COACH GETS NOMINATION FOR OLYMPIC CHIEF

New York, Dec. 23.—Appointment of Lawson Robertson of the University of Pennsylvania as head coach of the track and field athletes of the 1924 American Olympic team has been recommended to the American Olympic committee by the Amateur Athletic union.

The A. A. U. made public tonight a resolution it had adopted suggesting methods of classifying the athletes and suggesting the appointment of Robertson and twelve assistants. The twelve assistants would be chosen from a list of sixteen coaches whose names were submitted.

These sixteen are:

Moakley, Cornell.	Breenahan, Iowa.
Fitzpatrick, Princeton.	Farrell, Harvard.
Hillman, Dartmouth.	Christie, California.
Keane, Syracuse.	Harvard, Oregon.
Oliphant, Army.	Cromwell, Sou. Calif.
Mage, Bowdoin.	Hutsell, Ala. Poly.
S. Farrell, Michigan.	Boehm, Boys' High, Starr, Chicago.
Gill, Illinois.	New Orleans.

JUNIOR A. A. U. TITLE GAMES AT BUFFALO FEB. 9

New York, Dec. 23.—The Niagara association of the Amateur Athletic union has selected Feb. 9 as the date for the 1924 national junior indoor A. A. U. track and field championships at Buffalo.

Louisville and New York are bidding for the senior champions, selection of the Kentucky city depending upon whether it can offer an early March date for the meet.

The senior volley ball championship goes to Pittsburgh, while the junior volley ball title event and weight lifting championship goes to Los Angeles. The tug of war championship is awarded to the Irish-American A. C. of Detroit.

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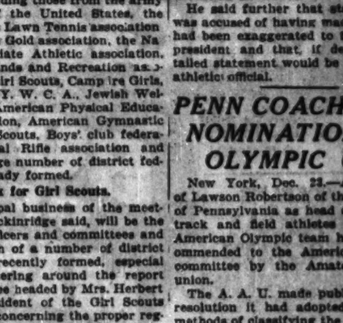

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MEN'S FASHIONS

BY A. T. GALLICO.

We See by Rotogravure.

NEW YORK.—[Special Correspondence.]—From the banks of the Bosporus to the four hundred of 5th avenue is a far cry. To the average mind a Turk is a swarthy man in loose fitting oriental clothes topped off by a

fez. His place in the sun of fashion has been infinitesimal. This is no longer the case. The first man of Turkey today, Mustapha Kemal Pasha, we see by the rotos, presents an appearance which would not be out of place among the scions of 5th avenue.

He wears the soft collar pinned at the points, a style now in decided favor with the elite of fashion. His tie is an orthodox striped four-in-hand, his suit is the same as that of any well dressed business man's, and there is just the right amount of white cuff showing below the sleeve of the coat. A fancy vest of checked weave finished the effect.

We see also, by rotogravures, that A. C. Webb, American prize winning artist, wears the horizontally striped soft collar, pinned at the points, a dark plain color four-in-hand, and a light colored suit.

We see a reflection of French style in the wedding outfit of Baron Jean Daniel de Montenach, recently married to Helen Gould. It differs from the English and American version of the cutaway in the style of the coat. Comparing the baron's cutaway with the one worn by Prince Henry—whose picture we saw the same week—we find the lapels of the baron's much shorter than those of the English cut, the notches almost as high as the shoulder, and the button placed high on the chest.

Prince Henry's lapels are long, with the button placed low. He strikes a novel note in wearing a horizontally striped stiffened collar and a four-in-hand tie with the cutaway outfit.

HAROLD TEEN—KEEPING SANTA AWAY

TRIBUNE COOK BOOK

BY JANE EDDINGTON.

Mashed Sweet Potato.

Of all the agreeable ways of serving sweet potato there is none to my mind quite equal to having them mashed. But, you may say, the fibers of the sweet potato are long and how are you going to get something of as smooth and velvety a character as mashed white potato at its most perfect?

It is easy enough. Peel and slice the sweet potatoes before putting them to cook in only so much water as is needed to start the steam and protect them, then keep them cooking over a slow fire in a closely covered kettle. The right amount of water is not enough to cover the slices.

When the potatoes are tender, as they will be in about twenty minutes, add salt and mash them with a walnut of butter per potato. They are not velvety or smooth at this stage, but just add two or three tablespoons of cream per large potato used and give them a good whipping with the masher, stirring around and around and most vigorously, and see what a fine product you get and what an agreeable one it is on the tongue. It is not as watery as most whites mashed potato.

For those who knew and liked the old fashioned Hubbard squash the mashed sweet potato is a good substitute for it and does not require so much butter. The squash we get today seems finally, when cooked, to have little granules in it, mash how well we will, and it also often has a slightly bitter and watery taste.

Mashed sweet potato can be piped and used in all the ways that white mashed potato is. Try it in a potato thistle with chicken in gravy in the center.

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Oak Park Collegians to Dance.

The Christmas collegians' dance under the auspices of the K. A. O., will be given at the Colonial club of Oak Park on Friday evening. Miss Jeanne Cox of 328 Southeast avenue, Oak Park, is chairman of the committee of arrangements.

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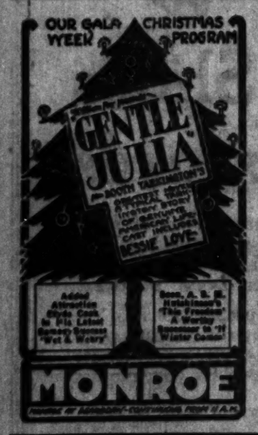

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ANSWER TO WHAT'S WRONG HERE

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Pirates Are Chorus Girls in Princeton Triangle Club Play

It seems that we were in error in stating the other day that Lloyd A. Hamlin and Burton Mudge Jr. would be chorus girls in the Princeton Triangle club play, "Drake's Drum," for there are only two feminine rôles in the play, and the chorus will be pirates, not girls. The other Chicagoans in the chorus are C. C. Davis, '24; J. H. Pell, '25; L. M. Fearing, '24, and T. S. Mead, '26. Mr. Laflin is a member of the class of '26 and Mr. Mudge of '24. Mr. Laflin's oldest brother, Louis E. Laflin, '24, takes one of the leading parts in the show, which is to be given in Chicago on New Year's eve at the Aryan Grotto, both in the afternoon and evening. Edward H. Wever, an old Triangle club president, is now playing in Chicago with a professional company and will be a guest at the dance. Mrs. Louis E. Laflin and her sons are giving after the evening performance at the Blackstone.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Burnham of Evanston, have had to call off the tea dance they were planning for Wednesday for the football squad from the Naval academy at Annapolis, because the coach insists that the boys practice at Stagg field all afternoon. They are on their way to the Pacific coast and on account of the long trip (no stops between here and the coast), it is felt they must exercise as much as possible here. The United States Naval Academy association of Chicago will give them a dinner Wednesday night at Cro's in the Opera club building.

Several parties are being planned for Joseph Schwarz, Russian baritone, who is to have some guest appearances with the Chicago Civic Opera company, and Mrs. Schwarz, during their stay in Chicago. They will arrive on Friday and will be at the Drake. Dr. and Mrs. Wilhelm L. Baum will give a luncheon for them on Sunday at their residence, 1508 State parkway; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis N. Kimball of Highland Park will give a dinner that evening, and Mrs. Edna Richardson Sellitt of 501 Oakdale avenue will give a dinner for them Saturday night. Mr. Schwarz will appear with the opera on New Year's eve and also on the following Wednesday.

Mrs. William B. Hale of Winnetka is giving a tea dance from 4 to 7 o'clock this afternoon at the Fortnightly for her niece, Miss Eleanor Follansbee, and Miss Anne Kales. Although Miss Follansbee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell D. Follansbee of 65 Bellevue place, is not making a formal debut, having chosen Bryn Mawr in preference to a social winter, she is included in the holiday entertaining for this season's buds. Miss Kales, daughter of Mrs. Albert M. Kales of the Ambassador made her debut on Nov. 24 at a dance given for her at the Casino by her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Smith of 229 Lake Shore drive.

Mrs. Ogden T. McClurg is giving a children's party this afternoon at her residence, 999 Lake Shore drive, for her little daughter, Eleanor.

Twenty school girls and boys will be the guests at luncheon today of Mrs. Potter L. Smith and her brother, Harry Spencer Reno Jr., at the residence of the former, 410 Briar place, later attending a matinée. Mr. Reno is at home from Harvard for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Halloway of Glencoe will give a dance on Friday at the Woman's Literary club for their son John, a student at Princeton, and daughter, Ruth, who goes to Ogontz. There will be about 150 guests.

The Service club will meet next Monday morning at 11 o'clock at the residence of the Misses Harriet and Elizabeth Stuart, 999 Lake Shore drive, to hear the dispensation of the $11,000 cleared by the benefit given by the club in November.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. O'Gara of 1350 North State street, expect their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Weyerhauser, who are temporarily living in Potlatch, Idaho, to arrive today to spend Christmas and the holidays.

Miss Eloise ReQua, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William B. ReQua of 33 Bellevue place, and Miss Janet Lawrence, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Wilhelm L. Baum of 1508 State parkway, will be among the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Wetten of 4810 Ellis avenue at a house party they are giving at Lake Placid. Miss ReQua came from Bryn Mawr on Saturday and will be with her parents until tomorrow afternoon.

Harry L. Stuart and Charles Stuart arrived from New York on Saturday to spend the holidays with their father and sisters, George Stuart and the Misses Harriet and Elizabeth Stuart of 999 Lake Shore drive.

Among the Vassar girls who are at home for the holidays are Miss Elinor Farwell, Miss Marion Steffens, Miss Sarah Pulsifer, Miss Starr Taber, Miss Harriet Borland and Miss Isabel Williamson.

Gardner C. Rose, who is a "plebe" at Annapolis, arrived on Saturday for a five days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Landon C. Rose of 1258 Lake Shore drive.

Mrs. Charles F. Spalding of 6 Scott street and her son, Vaughan C. Spalding of Lake Forest, have returned from the east, where they have been for several months. Mrs. Spalding will remain in Chicago until some time after Christmas, when she will go to California.

Mrs. Stanley H. Barrows of 190 Chestnut street and her daughter, Miss Louise Barrows, with whom she has been staying at Wellesley since Thanksgiving, have arrived in Chicago.

Among the boys who have returned from St. Paul's for the holidays are Dana S. Stone, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Shephard Stone of 1260 Astor street; Francis A. Drake, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tracy C. Drake of the Blackstone; Jack and Jerry Simpson, sons of Mr. and Mrs. James Simpson of 1300 Lake Shore drive; Wayne Neff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nettelton Neff of 50 Bellevue place; Samuel Morse, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson; and Davis Kales, son of Dr. and Mrs. John Davis Kales of 1258 North State street. Students of Hill school at Pottstown, Pa., who are in Chicago are Wells Sinclair, son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Sinclair of 459 Deming place, and William A. Humphreys Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hines Clarke [Dorothy Buttolph] arrived on Saturday from Cleveland to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Buttolph of 5429 Cornell avenue.

ANSWER TO WHAT'S WRONG HERE

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WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREADWINNER: Perry Gains a "Leg"

MARRIED

MRS. WILBERT E. SHALLENE.
[Kosins Photo.]

Mr. and Mrs. George Carroll Lamphere of 5063 Kenmore avenue have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Margaret Wilkinson, to Lieut. Wilbert E. Shallene, U. S. A., son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Shallene of Moline, Ill., on Dec. 3 in San Francisco. Lieut. and Mrs. Shallene have departed for a wedding trip to Honolulu, Japan, China, and the Philippines.

ENGAGEMENTS

Announcement has been made by the parents of Miss Esther Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn L. Abbott of 7029 Yale avenue, of her engagement to Glenn H. Runston, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Runston of 40 West 112th street. The wedding will take place at the Abbott residence on New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Balch of 5247 Wayne avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Emily, to William L. Skahen, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Skahen of 5533 Harper avenue.

The engagement of Miss Gertrude Guttman to Joseph Hugh Shapiro, son of Mrs. Pauline Shapiro of 5486 Blackstone avenue, has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Guttman of 5709 Michigan avenue.

WEDDINGS

Announcement of the marriage of Miss Katharine Kennedy, daughter of Col. and Mrs. James Madison Kennedy of Manila, P. I., to Lieut. William Benjamin Kean of the third infantry of Fort Snelling, Minn., has been made. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Harold Linwood Bowen at St. Peter's Episcopal church last Wednesday, and was followed by a wedding supper at the residence of the bride's cousin, Mrs. Euna Smith Jennings of 459 Briar place. Miss Elisabeth Trump was maid of honor, and Capt. F. R. L. Meyer best man.

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. Louis G. Preaskil of 5221 Winthrop avenue of the marriage on Dec. 19 of their daughter, Evelyn, to Archie Paley, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Paley of Wilmette.

SOCIETY NOTES

Mrs. George C. Clarke and Miss Carol Clarke of 1235 Astor street are at home for the holidays from Watkins Glen, N. Y., where they have been for some time because of Mrs. Clarke's poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. William Joseph Phelan, with their small son, arrived from St. Louis yesterday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Phelan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Montague Handley of 521 Barry avenue.

Miss Addie Clarke Harding, granddaughter of Mrs. Abner Clarke Harding of 2725 Prairie avenue, is home from National Park seminary at Washington, D. C., to spend the holidays with Mrs. Harding.

HOW TO BE HAPPY THOUGH MARRIED

BY DORIS BLAKE.

As we have been judging this young creature, known to the older generation as a being of tender years and wayward footsteps the like of whose footsteps never before left such prints upon the sands of time, she has seemed to us to be a more or less fictional being of an adult author's unleashed emotions.

We honestly never expected to meet the flapper in the flesh. We've looked for her and thought on several occasions we had an excellent specimen to dissect. But she failed us. Once we were sure we had a real, hard, dyed in the wool example of what a young girl ought not to be. We brushed off the top layer, which proved to be nothing more than a conversational coating, and found the heart that of a lovable youngster.

So we were not disappointed, when the opening paragraphs of the following letter promised us a sensational discovery, to find no name, address, or identification—nothing to make us believe in the reality of the writer. And for that we are thankful, for if we lose our faith in girls it is going to take much joy out of our living.

Do you believe the authenticity of the facts in this letter? Or don't you agree with me that the writer, perhaps grown a bit weary listening to advice and warnings and cautions from her painfully respectable elders, including myself, sat back with pen in hand, tongue in cheek, and thought: "I'll shock that old crank out of a year's advice to the lovelorn."

Here's the letter:

"I ha' e read your articles and your answers to love problems, and I imagine you answer the way you think you should, not the way a person thinks. I am young, pretty, and have about as many admirers as any one person can possibly have. Vanity? It's true. I have. I have so many beaus I have often cut an evening in half to see them all within a two week period. And I dance jass, smoke, paint, and go a great pace. I have done this for two years. I'm 20 and I'm not dead yet. In fact, I am quite alive.

"I think your advice well meant, but believe me it's nothing in my young life. I get all the pleasure I can while I'm young. What's the harm in kissing? It is so easy to stop at that, and in all this time I haven't met one male whom I could not handle if he attempted to go too far. I'm not athletic and weigh only 100 pounds, but I've only got to signal quit. I can handle them. I'm just writing to tell you this because you so often advise girls against all the things I do. Why? They miss half the pleasures of life. I have had proposals of marriage, too, young men with money and some without. Perhaps I am fortunate and again some day I may play too close, but I'm living now and life is darn short.

"A VERY MUCH MODERN FLAPPER."

That is her portrait as done by herself. Have you ever seen a replica? What a pathetic picture a copy of the original would be! A hard little face looking out of eyes calculating just how far she could trust this man and that; a figure hurled from the arms of one man into the arms of another; the wry and twisted mouth, tasting the bitter aftermath of lips promiscuously given.

DORIS BLAKE ANSWERS

Clothes and the Man.

"Dear Miss Blake: I am 18 year of age, and go with a crowd of boys and girls all of whom are flappers. There is a boy I like who does not belong to the crowd. He has asked me several times but I have refused on account of his dress (he does not dress at all like the Brookies). Miss Blake, how can I tell him my reason for not wanting to go out with him.

"BOBBIE."

Is he untidy or careless or just not stylish enough to suit you, Bobbie? Naturally a girl does like to go out with a boy who is presentable, just as men prefer the girl who is a credit to them. But the best men are not always found in the snappiest clo', you know, Bobbie. And if you must have them stylish above everything else—I suppose you will have to let them know none other need apply.

She Can't Decide.

"Dear Miss Blake: Please help me to solve this problem. I have been going with a boy my age for over a year. My parents forbid me to go with him. I don't love him and yet I may feel sorry if I give him up without a good reason. What would you advise me to do? TYTIAN BLONDE."

Perhaps there is a good reason in your parents' objections. Why not ask them? That may help you to decide. You don't care particularly for him and your parents forbid your going with him—so I conclude the boy is without the necessary qualifications of a desirable companion.

WASHINGTON SOCIETY

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—The French ambassador and Mme. Jusserand entertained at dinner last evening in compliment to the secretary of state and Mrs. Hughes.

The Duke of Sutherland was the guest last evening at a dinner given at the Shoreham hotel by Capt. M. G. Christie, air attaché of the British embassy. The duke departed today for Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Stokes Jr. entertained last evening at the first large party they have given in their house on Massachusetts avenue since it was completed last spring.

GOOP DIALOGUES

A Daily Lesson in Manners for Children

BY GELETT BURGESS

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BREAKING PROMISES

I know a fault of such enormity
It almost amounts to a deformity.

What is this fault that so disgusts you?

Breaking your word to a mother who trusts you.

Oh, goodness gracious! How ungrateful!

Only a Goop could be so hateful!

EMBARRASSING MOMENTS

The Tribune will pay $1 for every letter published on "The Most Embarrassing Moment of My Life." Address Embarrassing Moments, Chicago Tribune. Write on one side of the paper. No manuscript returned.

Sharing the Bird.

Preparing the chicken for Sunday dinner, I discovered that the butcher had sent me an exceptionally fine one, so I called up my daughter and asked her and hubby to dinner. She was sorry she could not come, as she had a dreadful toothache. Then I called up my niece and asked her to come over with her friend. She declined, saying they had made arrangements to go to a concert and did not think they could get back at 6.

Bound to have some one share this fine bird with us, I finally called up a former neighbor, who said she and her husband would be pleased to come. So all was fine until a few minutes before 6, when the bell rang. I thought I heard an awful commotion and, looking down, spied my daughter and her husband, my niece and her friend, and the neighbors. Daughter's toothache had disappeared, the concert was over earlier than my niece and friend expected, and there I was with eight people for dinner instead of four. I made that chicken go a long way and, believe me, I know what the neck tastes like. A. C.

WHAT'S WRONG HERE?

Answer at bottom of this page.

Bright Sayings of the Children

The Tribune will pay $1 for each childish saying printed. The story told must never have been printed in any magazine or paper. It is not possible to acknowledge or return unavailable contributions. Please write on one side of the paper. Address Bright Sayings to Aunty Bee, Tribune, Chicago.

The baby is just learning to walk and has frequent collisions with the furniture.

"What sissor needs," commented

Buddy, importantly, "is a pwair of bumpers!" E. C. B.

Mary Jane was having a confidential talk with her grandmother.

"Grandma," said she, "mommy is your little girl—just as I am her little girl—isn't she?"

"Yes, dear," answered grandma.

"Well, then she has to mind you, just as we have to mind her—and, grandma, I wish you would speak to her about this spanking business—just tell her she must not spank us any more—and she will have to mind you." C. G. A.

NEW YORK SOCIETY

New York, Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rose McAlpin of 115 East 82d street are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Girard Potter have come from Lenox and are at the Ritz-Carlton for a few days.

Miss May Ladenburg gave a luncheon today at her home in Westbury, L. I.

A FRIEND IN NEED

BY SALLY JOY BROWN.

Patient at Sanitarium.

"I am a patient at the tuberculosis sanitarium at Oak Forest. I am in need of some articles of clothing to make me comfortable in the winter. You have helped so many, perhaps through your column some kind friend will help me. I weigh 129 pounds and am 4 feet 5 inches tall. I need a heavy dress, size 42; a hevay brown sweater, size 44; a pair of bedroom slippers with rubber heels, size 6½; a winter cap, and a pair of woolen gloves, size 7. I have a winter coat. I will be grateful for any help. M. D."

Who has all or any of the articles mentioned in the sad letter of M. D., who writes of being in a sanitarium as though it were the most natural and cheerful place to be. She needs so little and asks for it with such courage that surely there are many willing to help her. Please don't delay.

Worthy of Help.

"Is there some one who can and will help a family in need? I cannot help them as I have a family of my own. The husband has had a nervous breakdown. The wife is a worthy woman. They have three children, badly in need of clothes, and shoes, and food. Can you help them? I pray you can, and will wait patiently to hear.

"Mrs. P."

Here is another neighbor and friend asking for help for another. What a pitiful story, and how easy for some to help. How happy it will make some one to do it. Who will be the one?

BEAUTY ANSWERS

BY ANTOINETTE DONNELLY.

S. Z.: THERE IS NO USE ASKING me how to improve yourself if you have mapped out a campaign just opposite to what I would recommend. If you won't eat breakfast and a saner luncheon and be subject to some advice about your dinner, your sleeping hours, and fresh air—the only thing I can see ahead for you, young woman, is a sanitarium or the lead in a procession to the family plot, perhaps, neither of which is the jolliest rôle one can adopt. When you change your mind and are willing to listen to reason, I'll be here, ready to give you all the help in the world.

Following Decree Which Says, "Plain and Straight"

by Corinne Lowe

NEW YORK.—[Special Correspondence.]—Whoever it was to whom we owe that implacable word, "Be slim, sweet maid, and let who will be beautiful," should be gloating over the winter modes. There was a time last summer when some of us looked buoyantly to the future for deliverance from the slimpsy silhouette. Alas, however, for such ill founded optimism. The Paris designers dashed all such hopes to the ground. For they came out with skirts even narrower than their predecessors of other years. Now as the season advances many of us are putting on our skirts with a shoe horn.

This three piece costume illustrates this unappeasable thirst for paucity of material. The skirt of black velvet follows the mode prescribed for tailleur and three piece suit. In other words, it is made plain and tight and straight. Also, in observance of Parisian decree, it is rather short.

Attached to this skirt is a blouse of white panne velvet attracting immediate attention by the originality of sleeve treatment. As a matter of fact, the formality of sleeves is omitted in favor of mere slits through which the arms pass. This effect is completed by taking in the under arm seams to fit the body.

The three-quarter coat worn with this is trimmed with white fox fur. Altogether the costume presents yet another bit of testimony to the winter's favor for black and white.

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KODAK

FRENCH ADORN TOGO TAXPAYER WITH BRASS TAG

Force Law Violators to Do Government Work.

BY FLOYD GIBBONS.

[Chicago Tribune Foreign News Service.]

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LOME, French Togoland, Africa, Dec. 23.—[Tribune Radio—Contrary to the system prevailing in the British sphere, where the area has practically been annexed to the adjoining British colony of the Gold Coast, the French Togo does enjoy a fiscal authority, but in spite of this figures on revenues and expenditures are not sea readily obtainable as in the reports rendered by the English administrators. In the last report to the league of nations Gov. Bonnecarre reveals the financial situation of the French Togo by referring the colony's present surplus, amounting to about 2315,000.

These funds now are assigned to extension of public works, together with the proceeds from a loan of 15,000,000 francs (about $500,000) which the colony is floating in France, and which they expect to pay off during the next twenty years. The colony makes no remittances either to France or the governor general of French West Africa. Its administration comes directly under the minister of colonies in Paris, and it submits annual reports to the league of nations.

Use Direct Taxation.

With several notable variations, the German and French systems of taxation are identical. As opposed to the English system of indirect taxation and administration, the French have followed the old German policy of direct taxation, and the government taxes, although indirect, are applied as well. The German labor tax has been abolished. The Germans drafted free labor for work on private plantations. Forced labor still prevails, but it is confined to work on the roads adjoining the natives' own villages and also as a means of paying head taxes. In the land where nature is so bountiful that the natives can live almost without working, various means have to be employed to induce or compel the natives to perform the necessary public works.

Gov. Bonnecarre has inaugurated a system of labor penalties as punishments for violating the laws. A white automobile driver was attacked in a native village and beaten by the blacks. The case was tried and the whole tribe found guilty of assault. Pending sentence, the governor informed the chief that certain things would have an effect in reducing the penalty. The first was that the chief's village was to produce better and more cotton than any village within a radius of ten miles, the second that his roads had to be the best within the same radius, and the third that his village would have to construct a cement cistern for its drinking supply, the government furnishing the necessary material. Within a year all three conditions had been fulfilled, and then the village was assessed a fine in addition for the assault. Measures of this kind cause grave concern in Paris, where every effort is being made to carry out the mandate to the letter of the law, and one of the strongest laws is against forced labor. The French interpretation is that this law does not forbid forcing labors by the natives for their own profit and good.

Taxpayers Get Brass Tags.

Head taxes are collected by the chiefs and are turned over to the French district administrators, who issue brass tags for each taxpayer. Government inspectors traveling through the country when encountering natives on the roads can tell at a glance whether they are taxpayers or tax dodgers. The payers are all tagged. These taxes most frequently are paid from the village funds, which are obtained through a common cultivation of land belonging to the village. The chief forces all the members of his tribe to spend so many days each year on cultivation of village crops in addition to their own private crops, and this forms another means of increasing the production of the country. For those natives who neither work nor pay, the regulations provide for prison and work.

Frenchmen and other Europeans are subject to the head and public work taxes, the same as the natives, only in the case of the whites the price by which they buy their release from the required four days' work per year is higher. The natives can relieve themselves of this work by paying 1 franc 25 centimes (about 6 cents) and the whites by paying 5 francs (about 25 cents) per day. In taxes, as in concessions, all nationals of the old allies are upon an equal footing. Germans are not admitted to the colony and their ships do not touch its ports.

Import U. S. Autos.

In customs duties on imports and exports no nation is favored to the detriment of another. These duties are from 5 to 10 per cent lower than in the English colonies, resulting in cheaper purchases for the natives and higher returns for their products. Strange to say, a majority of the exports do not go to France, but to England and Germany. German exports are handled by Dutch firms. There is but little export to America, but quantities of American tobacco, sugar, gasoline, and machinery are imported. American autos outnumber all the other makes.

REMOTE CITY OF CHINA TO GREET DR. SCHURMAN

U.S. Minister Makes Long Xmas Trip from Peking.

BY CHARLES DAILEY.

[Chicago Tribune Foreign News Service.]

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PEKING, Dec. 23.—Dispatches from Yunnanfu, the capital of Yunnan province, the most distant part of China, report the city en fete in anticipation of the visit of the American minister, Jacob Gould Schurman, who with Mrs. Schurman will pass the Christmas holidays in Yunnanfu. The arrival of Dr. Schurman in Yunnanfu will mark the completion of his visit to every American consulate in China—twenty in all—and some of them he has visited more than once. To accomplish this he has traveled several tens of thousands of miles, and he has included in his tour Corea and the Japanese leased sections of Manchuria.

No other minister of any country has traveled so much in China. It is currently reported in Peking that he soon will be tendered an advisorship to the government of China, filling the post that was left vacant by the death last year of Dr. Reinsch.

Visits Chinese Leaders.

Dr. Schurman has not confined his visits to the American consulates, but also has been entertained in the homes of China's political and military leaders, including Chang Tso Lin, Wu Pei Fu and the present president, Tsao Kun, whom he visited at Paotingfu. The American minister has journeyed up the Yangtze gorges, has traveled up the Siang river to Changsha, has traversed the Chinese Eastern railway zone in northern Manchuria from one end to the other, has visited Kalgan and has ventured out on the great plain of Mongolia, and of course has been at every seaport.

But Yunnanfu is new territory to him. The last important American visitor to that distant capital was Col. Walter S. Drysdale, then military attaché to the American legation, who, accompanied by a correspondent of THE TRIBUNE, made the long journey for the purpose of effecting the rescue of the American medical missionary, Dr. Taylor, who had been captured by bandits.

Make Long Trip.

Dr. and Mrs. Schurman departed from Peking, Nov. 20, and sailed from Shanghai on the 23d on board the French Messageries steamship Portthos. They made a brief stop at Hongkong and arrived at Saigon, Dec. 1. Using Saigon as a base they made a visit to Angkor, went by motor to Hanoi and visited other interesting cities and scenic bits in Cochin-China and Tonking and when last reported were preparing for the three day journey by rail from Hanoi to Yunnanfu, the only way of reaching the province—which owing to this fact is completely under French domination and has practically nothing in common with the rest of China.

It is a mountainous country, getting even higher towards the Burman and Tibetan borders. Yunnanfu was opened to foreign trade in 1908, and despite the advantage held by the French there is sufficient American commerce to justify a consulate there.

Three Killed, One Hurt, in Auto Crossing Crash

Danville, Ill., Dec. 23.—Three women were killed and a man probably fatally injured tonight when an interurban car struck an automobile on the Catlin road, about six miles south of here. Margaret Payton, Madge Spencer, and Robert Henry were killed and Harold Hatfield was injured. All are of Danville.

PRESS ATTACKS ON U.S. ENDANGER JAPAN PREMIER

BY RODERICK MATHESON.

[Chicago Tribune Foreign News Service.]

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TOKIO, Dec. 23.—The press is discussing the reported congressional legislation denying rights of American citizenship to children of unnaturalizable aliens, and also condemns the government's failure to protest against the United States Supreme court's anti-alien land decision.

The retroactive feature of the citizenship proposal is most severely condemned as uncivilized and unworthy of a great country. The Nichi-Nichi urges the legislators to remember that the Japanese did not go to America of their own volition but following the solicitation of American labor recruiters to help in the period of labor shortage to make America what it is today.

Gradually Taken Away.

"But the rights and inducements promised one after another dwindled until now the last is in danger of withdrawal," the Nichi-Nichi says. "There is no need to grow sentimental, which will not help solve the case, but, on the other hand, keep in mind that hard logic and cold laws are hardly things to make smooth running human international affairs. We doubt if the lawmakers in America take this into consideration when they coolly proceed to take back their promises. If not, we advise them to do so."

The Asahi says the Japanese government is partly responsible for the anti-alien land legislation, as a law enacted here ten years ago permitting foreign ownership is still not promulgated and inoperative.

Changes in Law.

Premier Count Yamamoto now is taking up the plan of the late Premier Kato to amend the Japanese citizenship law and remove the dual citizenship of Japanese born abroad in countries granting citizenship birthrights. This is urged by a majority in the diplomatic service, but heretofore was feared by the successive cabinets as a dangerous home political stand. Many members of the diet are certain to fight the measure, contending the government has no right to legislate depriving any native born Japanese the right to allegiance to the emperor. Naturally, a majority of the Japanese regard Japanese citizenship higher than American, and regard an amendment of the citizenship law as unjust to American born Japs.

Premier Count Yamamoto already is in a precarious position, and may defer action during the coming regular session of the diet.

Gen. Jan Smuts Unable to Pay Visit to United States

New York, Dec. 23.—Gen. Jan Smuts will be unable to accept the invitation of the Foreign Policy association to visit the United States, a cable dispatched from the South African premier, made public today, stated. Explaining that his public duties would not permit of his coming to America at this time, Genl. Smuts said he had long looked forward to such a visit whenever his official work would permit.

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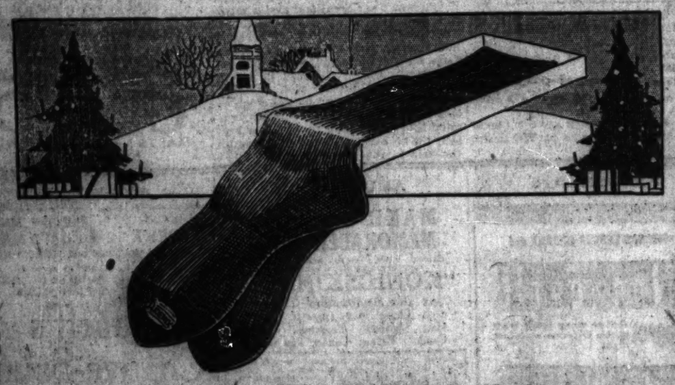

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The Fir and the Palm

By PRINCESS BIBESCO.

SYNOPSIS.

Helen, with her husband, Cyril (Lord Horsham), arrives at the Horsham country house, one of England's famous country houses. Cyril is passionately in love with his wife, but she is unaware of it. When he married her he had wanted her to throw herself into his arms and instead she had walked up his marble staircase. Cyril was over forty when he married. He found Helen living with her father, who was a gambler, in a pension in Italy.

Helen has called on her new neighbors, the Baldwins, for the first time. She has presided at a charity bazaar given on the Baldwins' estate. Their nephew, Toby Ross, lives in a small house on the estate.

Cyril's mother comes to Helen's court for a visit. Helen, at Cyril's suggestion, invites Toby to dinner to meet her, and finds herself intensely interested in him. She goes to his cottage, where she has dinner alone with him.

Helen gives a house party in the country. Christopher Tyldesley, a lifelong friend of Cyril's, is one of the guests. He is in love with Helen. Toby comes over for the dance which Helen gives the first night of the house party. He kisses Helen before he leaves.

Later Helen goes up to London for the season. Cyril joins Christopher in Scotland for a week's shooting. Helen goes back to the country. She and Toby spend a delightful week riding, walking, and dining together. When Cyril returns to Helen's court, Toby goes up to London. He meets Helen's friend, Selina, there. Toby decides to go to Thibet. Helen at last discovers Cyril's great love for her.

INSTALLMENT XXXVII.

GOOD-BY TO TOBY.

For a moment Helen was staring out of this nightmare back into life.

"So you don't like to have our names linked? Isn't that what they would call it in a magazine story?"

"I don't read magazines. And I wasn't thinking of myself only, but of your husband." ("Fool," he said to himself, "I ought to have said I was thinking only of her.")

"Cyril," with a glow of comfort and gratitude, she realized that she had Cyril in her life. "Cyril is the one person who never needs protecting against ugliness and vulgarity—it glances off him."

Toby flushed. "Well, no man likes his wife being talked about with another man."

Helen felt unutterably weary. She didn't seem able to extricate any reality from the conversation. She was too frozen even to be scared by the, to her incredible, angle which he had introduced. Everything Toby said was unde-

"You were strong, Helen."

sirable and yet altogether remote and irrelevant, with nothing whatsoever to do with what she had come to say.

She knew he was trampling on a thousand precious, delicate things and that soon the numbness which had invaded her would give way to the unbearable aching of her bruised and crushed spirit. But for the moment she felt nothing, only in the gray cold twilight of her thoughts an idea came to her.

"Toby," she said, "do you love me?"

"No."

"Have you ever loved me?"

"No."

"I see." The tone of her voice and the look in her eyes were gray and unwavering.

"I don't think you do. No one knows better than I do how wonderful you are."

"No one has had better opportunities of discovering."

Her voice was a ridge of ice.

"You don't need me to tell you about yourself. Every one does it. I am not blind to your magic. Only I happen never to have been in love with you. I may have lost my head, but it was always a loss of my head, never something I wanted to have done. What I wanted was your friendship—I longed for it. I thought we could have had the most wonderful intimacy in the world. You wrecked that by wanting something different, something I could never give you."

"Why didn't you tell me?" It was a little cry, life was returning to her in a flood of pain.

"I thought I had made it so clear. Any one who wasn't blinded would have realized."

Again she said, "I see."

"Helen, it has been such a pity, such a horrible waste, and now I am hurting you."

"You are weak," she said dispassionately.

"You were strong, Helen, and very charming."

"Don't," her voice was sharp for the first time. She couldn't let him belittle things, insult her by doctoring her humiliation.

There was a pause.

With a superhuman effort, she had found a smile.

"Poor Toby," she said, "how difficult it must have been."

"I knew you would understand," he agreed gratefully, levying in common with the rest of his sex blackmail on feminine insight.

Helen was sitting still in her chair, not daring to get up until she was quite sure of her legs. Nothing in the world, she felt, would be as dreadful as to faint. Trusting to an unshed screen of tears to blur the all too poignant features of this room, she nevertheless noticed a gap on the wall.

"Where is the Prince Consort?" she asked.

"Mary Ann gave him away as a wedding present to her niece."

Helen felt a little glow of comfort. "I am glad," she said.

There seemed to be something that Toby wanted to say to her. She couldn't imagine what it could be. He seemed to have been saying such difficult things so easily.

"Helen," he blurted out, "I am going to Thibet."

"How wonderful," with a rush of misery she remembered their walk through the woods and the *Helena Meralyuda*, the orchid he was going to find for her. She supposed that a deal of her time now would be spent remembering.

"Helen, I shall be gone a long time. Don't think of me as too much of a bad. Perhaps when I come back we shall find our friendship after all."

"Perhaps," she said gently in the tone of a mother humoring a child.

"Helen, please say you're not sorry it all happened."

"I am not sorry."

She looked around the room.

"I have been happy here," she said.

He was feeling miserable, ashamed, and wretched.

"I must be going."

"Not yet," he pleaded, "not just yet. Stay to lunch."

"I can't do that."

"Let me walk you home."

"No," she said, "I would rather not."

"Helen," he was urgent, "don't you like being with me any more?"

It was incredible, absolutely incredible, she thought, that even at this moment he should wrench a tribute from her tortured heart.

But out of the bigness of her love, she could give even to his vanity.

"I am always gladder to be with you than not."

Then she got up.

"It is never any good dwelling on good-bys," she said, "it is not the being together that it prolongs, it is the parting."

He had taken her hand. His touch hurt her unreasonably.

"Good-by, Toby. God bless you."

"And you," he said.

He watched her walk away into the sun with slow deliberate steps. Then he saw Mary Ann run after her with a bunch of moss roses. Helen was stooping toward her, but she never turned around. She seemed to Toby to be holding the flowers very tight.

"God, what a brave woman!" he said to himself, and then, "Being frank is ever so much easier than one would think."

Helen, clutching her moss roses like a drowning woman, clinging to a bit of wreckage, sent up a silent prayer, "Pray God don't let me think."

Then, suddenly she laughed.

"I never told Toby I had come to say good-by," she murmured.

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[Continued tomorrow.]

THE GUMPS—FLOWING GOLD

Give Yourself a Treat—See 'Boy of Mine'

It's One of Any Year's Best Pictures.

"BOY OF MINE."
Produced by J. K. McDonald.
Directed by William Beaudine.
Presented at the Chicago theater.

THE CAST.

William Woodbine Latimer.....Henry B. Walthall
His Wife.....Irene Rich
His Son, Billy.....Ben Alexander
Dr. Bob Mason.....Rockcliffe Fellowes
Mrs. Pettis.....Dot Farley
Her Son.....Lawrence Fawcett
"Vestibule" Thompson.....Gene Jackson

By Mae Tinee.

Good morning!

If I thought you wouldn't be too excited tomorrow morning to READ this column, I'd save the review of "Boy of Mine" for then and call it a Christmas present from me to you. As is, you've probably done your shopping early and, while more or less loafing today, are going to be told that this film is without doubt one of the BEST program pictures you've seen this year or will see ANY year.

The people on it are real—that's why. Some one aptly said of it: "You wouldn't think of it in the terms of 'great drama' or anything of the kind. You just live along with the folks in the film and 'get' them every minute."

Booth Tarkington wrote the story, which is about a "just kid" whose dad didn't understand him and whose mother DID. Situations develop naturally.

There are three chuckles to every tear—and the tears you do shed you luxuriate in.

The doings of Ben Alexander and one small Negro rejoicing in the stage name of Vestibule Thompson (no, no, the latter's father isn't a porter) hold you entranced. What WILL they do next! The work of both stacks up as screen literature! To my way of thinking, little Ben takes a place as one of the greatest if not THE greatest of child actors. The tiny colored boy is a wonder! SOME direction there by somebody who understands kids.

The grownups? You say it! Irene Rich is adorable as the mother. Henry Walthall as the father carries you back to the playing he did in "The Birth of a Nation" and "The Avenging Conscience." Remember? The others? Splendid.

One little word of four letters aptly describes the entire production. "R—E—A—L."

See you tomorrow! (Just for a minute.)

World Is Accepting Gospel of Good Will, Says Bishop Nicholson

The discarding of old religious creeds for better ones, the spirit in the churches that teaches the children in the Sunday school to give to the needy instead of waiting to see what the Christmas tree will bring them, and the growth in international helpfulness are among the evidences of the spread of the gospel of good will named by Bishop Thomas Nicholson of the Methodist Episcopal church in a Christmas address last evening at the Sunday Evening club at Orchestra hall.

"Everything is being scrutinized under the microscope these days," said Bishop Nicholson. "The man made creeds of the past contain much that is valuable, but we are to use the creeds and study the program of Jesus for ourselves. New light will yet break forth from the world of God."

CLOSEUPS

Buster Keaton, his baby and his father will appear in "Our Hospitality." The picture is said to be a satire of the America of 1830.

The first of the new series of Wilderness Tales made last summer in the Pacific northwest by Robert C. Bruce will soon be released by Educational. The name of the starter will be "Jean of Heceta Head."

They say that Cissy Fitzgerald is having the time of her life playing "The Suicide Blonde," in "Flowing Gold."

Rae Samuels Tops Bill at State-Lake That Is All Good

The Inquiring Reporter

Every Day He Asks Five Persons, Picked at Random, a Question.

The Tribune will pay $5 for each question accepted for The Inquiring Reporter to ask. Send name and address with your question to "The Inquiring Reporter," Chicago Tribune. For today's question Mrs. Helen Bennett, 422 Wellington street, Traverse City, Mich., was awarded $5.

The Question.

Do you prefer the candle lighted or the electric lighted Christmas tree?

Where Asked.

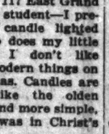
Michigan avenue bridge.

The Answers.

Ben S. Smith, 200 Wrigley building, accountant—I prefer the old fashioned candle lighted tree for the reason that I believe it is more in harmony with the Christmas traditions; it is carrying out the ideas that were originally brought out in regard to the Christmas spirit.

Mrs. Charles Richards, 6 West Superior street, millinery woman—I prefer the old fashioned candle lighted tree. It is more in keeping with the spirit of Christmas. The candle lighted tree heavily laden with gifts is as typical of Christmas as the Yule log.

C. A. Johnson, 1015 North La Salle street, sheet metal worker—You can't get a kick out of a candle lighted tree. Candles are all right if you are having an old time Christmas. But nowadays you have to have electric lights. They are just as pretty and a lot safer.



Miss Eunice Gordon, 117 East Grand avenue, student—I prefer the candle lighted tree—so does my little sister. I don't like these modern things on Christmas. Candles are more like the olden times, and more simple, like it was in Christ's time.

John Martin, 1015 North La Salle street, dental mechanic—I'm for the electric lighted tree, for the reason that it is safer, healthier, more artistic. There's no smoke or soot. Candles won't compare with electric lights, with their color combinations and fancy settings.

Galli-Curci and Schipa Delight Audience in Lucia di Lammermoor

BY EDWARD MOORE.

Joy ranged the Auditorium unchecked yesterday afternoon. The opera was "Lucia di Lammermoor," and two of the principal singers were Amelita Galli-Curci and Tito Schipa. This combination is warranted to rank high as a best seller on any and all occasions.

It is difficult to separate consideration of Mme. Galli-Curci's soprano from Mr. Schipa's tenor when they appear together in an elderly work for they both have qualities that transfigure such music into something better than it really is. Both have voices of warm velvet, both have polished manners, both have a high degree of personal charm. Small wonder, then, that these two aristocrats of vocal tone divide the honors of "Lucia" between them.

Mr. Schipa threw an extra bit of fervent ardor into his performance, which made his Edgar the best on record until such time as he sings it again. Mme. Galli-Curci fairly turned the house upside down with her "mad scene," and repeated its cadenza before she was permitted to continue. The program did not read that encores are not permitted except when Galli-Curci sings, but it should have. As a matter of fact, it was, except for the trill, of striking loveliness.

The Apollo Musical club's annual performance of "The Messiah" at Orchestra hall yesterday afternoon was marked by most of the virtues of former years and a few new ones in addition. Conductor Harrison M. Wild's forces sang the Handel score with admirable breadth and solidity and such complete certainty that whole phrases of the text were able to penetrate the mass of tone and become understandable, which is unusual enough in a choral body of great dimensions. In fact, after the first chorus had been passed, and the voices of the singers warmed thereby, the performance became something of an achievement.

There were other achievements. Arthur Kraft's singing of the tenor solos was one. This artist, a former Chicagoan, would seem to have arrived.

Two of the New Plays Are Bids for Laughter

"The Nervous Wreck" and "Abie's Irish Rose" Attain Their Objective.

"THE NERVOUS WRECK."

A farce in three acts by Owen Davis, with its basis in a novel by E. J. Rath: acted Dec. 23, 1923, in the Harris Theater, by this cast:

Sally Morgan.....Vivian Tobin
Henry Williams.....Taylor Holmes
Tim.....William Foran
Chester Underwood.....Russell Medcraft
Jerome Underwood.....James C. Marlowe
Harriet Underwood.....Eula Guy
Andy Nabb.....Edward Nannary
Mort.....James Bradbury Jr.
Dan.....Charles Henderson
Bob Wells.....Paul Harvey
Jud Morgan.....Lawrence Eddinger

BY FREDERICK DONAGHEY.

One can safely start to write about "The Nervous Wreck" with the easy averment that it is the best native farce in many seasons. Nobody can adequately contradict us, once the statement is in type. In return for our candor, we ask only that the management refrain from quoting us in the alleyways and on the ash-cans. After all, we are not expressing an opinion, but are simply, if a bit crudely, giving print to fact.

This is, we should say, the most salable of the author's many devices for our social betterment as we loiter our nights away in the theaters. Mr. Davis is the most sedulous and persistent of our playwrights, with a fecundity which endangers the record of Lope de Vega; but we like him far, far better for his aspect in this frank farce than when he seeks to do good by floodlighting what he thinks are the verities and the vanities of post-war existence in this feckless and pagan land. The first-night laughter, as it roared and screamed about our ears, was the more gratifying, perhaps, because we remembered that this was not the play with which he won last season's Pulitzer award for the best.

Our reading has not carried us so far as Mr. Rath's credited fiction; and we are not abashed in our ignorance. The play, in its outline, embalms once more the tale of the timid fellow who, in the urge of love and fell circumstance, takes on the semblance of the physical braveries, and feigns to admire the bright face of Danger. He is, here, a whimsical emulsion of nearly all the diffident heroes of the stage: Hoyt's valetudinarian, Mr. Carle's tenderfoot, and the run of the counterfeits that date back at least to "The Private Secretary."

This one, a reluctant gallant, runs off with a perturbed maiden for whom he cares nothing until beset by the fear that she may care nothing for him. The enemies and enmities to be overcome are encountered on a cactus-trimmed ranch where they seek shelter; and here they struggle with the hard-boiled and the grim, the suspicious and the jealous, the peeved and the straight-shooter. The episodes and the incidents "build" well, in the idiom of farce; and nobody, we suspect, has done a better thing in kind.

It was performed well, if not too deftly, last night; and we expect that tonight will find the players in a high-

"ABIE'S IRISH ROSE."

A play in three acts by Anne Nichols: acted Dec. 23, 1923, in the Studebaker Theater, by this cast:

Isaac Cohen.....Harry Marks Stewart
Mrs. Isaac Cohen.....Lise Sibert
Rabbi Samuels.....Beriram Marbogh
Solomon Levy.....Joseph Greenwald
Abraham Levy.....Stanley Price
Rosemary Murphy.....Ethel Dwyer
Patrick Murphy.....Harry Garvay
Father Whalen.....Toni Burrowes

"Anyway," says Capulet Murphy in the prosperous charivari which has moved from the law-courts to the Studebaker—"anyway, the Jews have nothing to say in Ireland!" "They haven't," agrees Montague Levy, "and that's what's the matter with Ireland!"

And there you are in the matter of "Abie's Irish Rose," which, as we are told with solicitous frequency, is one of the four or five principal industries of the United States. All, or nearly all, that ever has been said in gay or in bitter give-and-take by comic Irishmen and comic Jews of the stage is remembered, set down, and said again by the embattled sires and the comic neighbors in a loose and hoakum'd variant of the Romeo-Juliet affair. Everything in the old trunk has been pulled out and put to use in appeal for the laughs.

Inerrant appeal, too, we should say, although we were not of the throng in the Studebaker. We assume that nothing there went awry, because all was well from midnight to three o'clock Sunday morning, when we were a privileged atom of the conscripted congregation that responded to an auspiced unfolding of the drama in the Chicago Theater. The spectacular spaces and vestibuled vistas of that ample arena were stirred with laughter in most of the moments when the author calculated on laughter; and the missed moments were reasonably attributable to the devastating distances of the temple.

The repartee of the burnt-cork first-part, the equivoke of the old-time afterpiece, and the epigram of the burleyques were divided with beneficent balance as the outraged orthodoxy of the outwitted fathers took on the tones and the tempers of conflict.

Miss Nichols betters the instruction of Shakspere by devising three Friars Lawrence to bind and bless the love-lorn Yehudah lad and the quaking but eager *shiksa* of his heart. And she is, as she tells her tale, as subtle as State and Madison at high-noon in shopping-time: the nuances are those of stalled traffic at the Link bascule when it does its stuff. But, when holdest, she invades privacy rather than sex: she may be rude, but never lewd, in her dialogues on biological prowess, accouchement, et-cetera; and we stopped counting after the fiftieth laugh about a discarded appendix.

Also, as we contemplated the actors and their joy in the assignments, we gave up a self-imposed task of star-casting the play. We convinced ourself that "Abie's Irish Rose" would be destroyed if submitted to the arts of our hand-picked ensemble, embracing, as it did, the Misses Laurette Taylor and Margaret Anglin, both male Barrymores, Louis Mann, David Warfield, Lew Fields, and either Theodore Roberts or Wilton Lackaye.

And, as the curtains closed on the final quip, involving the Mosaic syncyclical on the dietary inhibitions of Israel, we knew with dismay that we were, at heart, no better than Mr. Erlanger and the Messrs. Shubert; for, like them, we should like to include the play among our mercantile assets.

A third opening of the night, Mr. Norworth's in "Honeymoon House," will be reported in due time.

Heartsease Buds Bloom Outdoors in North Dakota

Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 23.—Heartsease flowers were still blooming out of doors the first day of winter at the farm home of Mrs. Fannie Mahood Heath, vice president of the National Horticultural society, near this city. Mrs. Heath is sending bouquets to her friends for Christmas.

WHEN A FELLER NEEDS A FRIEND

Marvels of Economy

The name is really deserved by Tribune Want Ads. For example, the Kimbark Apartment Corporation, 6448-50 Kimbark Ave., used this small Want Ad for five days recently, including one Sunday issue.

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Mr. Meyers of the corporation reports these results: "From the five Want Ads, fifteen apartments (all we had to offer in that group) were rented. An estimate of one hundred replies is a conservative one, and we were forced to turn away those who came toward the last, for everything was gone."

To ask greater economy would be unreasonable. The cost of renting these fifteen apartments was sixty-two cents per apartment.

It pays to use Tribune Want Ads first!

"Central 0100, Adtaker"

HAIL ANDY GUMP AS FRIEND, HERO EVEN IF BROKE

Well Wishers on Hunt for Hepwing.

Country-wide interest has been aroused in the plight of Andy Gump, victim of that celebrated sharper, J. Ambrose Hepwing, who still is at large. Andy is getting lots of heartfelt sympathy this Christmas time. Many volunteer agents have enlisted in the search for Hepwing. The search seems to rival in interest that for Leo Koretz.

Mr. Gump's mail is heavy these days. He never realized before how many friends he has. They are writing and wiring from all points of the compass. His newspaper friends in many cities are commenting on his misfortunes and pointing morals for the general good. A few of these dispatches and items, just received, are given here with Andy's permission:

LUDINGTON, Mich.—Andy Gump, Chicago Tribune: Hepwing is here with Babe spending money like a drunken Indian. What shall we do? H. M. HALLETT, Mayor.

EL PASO, Ill.—J. Ambrose Hepwing was shaved here this afternoon by Bert Martin, the west end barber. He has completely disguised himself and looks twenty years younger. Send reward for full particulars. P. C. B.

For Andy, Even If He's Broke.

ALAMOSO, Colo.—Although you have lost your money, never forget that a friend is the only thing in this world you cannot afford to lose. The people of the sunny San Luis valley are your friends and are willing to back you up in any enterprise that you decide to undertake. We are 100 per cent for Andy Gump and hope you will not consider yourself licked and quit fighting.

ALAMOSO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

PHOENIX, Ariz.—The people of Phoenix and the Salt River valley extend to you a most cordial welcome to join them in this land of sunshine and prosperity. The city of Phoenix offers you a site for your factory, a building of steel and concrete, not a phantom structure. From our cacti you will be assured a steady source of supply for your hairbrush istation. Hydro electric energy is plentiful and cheap. For little Chester we are able to offer educational facilities second to none. Here you will find honesty a virtue in every man and your confidence in your fellows will be reborn. When may we expect you?

SALT RIVER VALLEY ARIZONA CLUB.

RAVENNA, Neb.—Party resembling J. Ambrose Hepwing seen here this evening on Burlington train 41 going west. R. B. IRWIN.

MADISON, Wis.—J. Ambrose Hepwing seen going through here in black touring car. C. B. STAICKLER.

Marmaduke to Rescue.

The Memphis Commercial Appeal prints a 300 word dispatch from Marmaduke, Ark., showing a movement in that city to get the new location of the Gump Consolidated Hair Brush and Mirror company. The sum of $4,220,000 was subscribed at the first meeting, which was called by Mayor Lively, business men, and farmers of that city. A committee was appointed to select a site which will be offered to the Gump company.

The Jackson (Miss.) Daily News prints a dispatch from Port Gibson, Miss., stating that Hepwing was in Claiborne county, headed toward Port Gibson. It was reported that Hepwing had shaved his whiskers and was en route to the Mexican border. Sheriff S. Bagnell and posse were waiting at the edge of the city for the fugitive.

Silk Hats and Honesty.

The Boise (Idaho) Statesman comments editorially on the Gump case, reciting the incidents that led to the fleecing of Andy, the remarks of Min, and Andy's declaration that he "never would trust a guy with a silk hat again." The editorial continues:

"Just as clearly as he saw the fact that he had been frisked of a few thousand dollars, Andy saw that a man with a silk hat did the frisking. The biggest single impression that he got when his dream castle tumbled down was that men with silk hats were crooks. This attitude is common. Without being trounced as seriously as Andy, most people who have been bamboozled a bit take their individual deceivers to be typical of all deceivers.

"A politician entrances us with a fairy tale of what he is going to do, but being given the chance, proves himself false. From this many people decide that all politicians are false. As soon as Andy realizes that much of his downfall is the direct result of his own idiotic action which was quite unrelated to the silk hat, we will extend our regrets and best wishes for a business recovery."

Rotarians with Andy.

The Bozeman (Montana) Daily Chronicle reports a meeting of the Rotarians of that city at which a touching tribute was given to Andy. This gloomy picture was given:

"Think of our friend sitting in a dark corner of his once cheerful home, his elbows on his knees, and his mouth for lack of chin, in the palms of his hands. In another corner, Mrs. Andrew Gump, known to those more intimately acquainted with our friend as 'Min,' whose only topic of conversation is 'I told you so' and 'I did warn you,' which is hardly encouraging for Mr. Gump."

The club agrees to wire Uncle Bim at once and to see that there is no meeting at this dangerous time between Andy and Babe."

REP. M'KENZIE SAYS HE WILL QUIT WITH PRESENT CONGRESS

JOHN C. McKENZIE.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—[Special.]—Representative John C. McKenzie [Rep., Ill.] today announced his retirement from congress at the close of this his seventh, term. In a letter to his constituents in the Thirteenth district he said:

"Inasmuch as I have long since decided to retire from congress at the expiration of my present term March 4, 1925, and in view of the fact the primary election at which my successor must be chosen will be held on April 9 next, and in order that the people of the district may have ample time to consider the merits of the respective candidates who desire to be elected to congress, I feel that it is proper and fitting for me at this time to say to the people whom I have had the honor to represent that I will not be a candidate at the coming primary for renomination."

Mr. McKenzie was elected in 1910, and within a few years attained a position of prominence in the house. His chief work has been in connection with army legislation, as ranking member, and frequently acting chairman of the committee on military affairs.

CHILDREN FEEL CLUTCH OF DOPE, BUNDESEN SAYS

Dope—opium and cocaine—has laid a heavy hand on Chicago.

The influence of such drugs has not been confined to the underworld—but has reached into the "upper stratas of society," Dr. Herman N. Bundesen, health commissioner, warns in a bulletin issued last night.

Dr. Bundesen estimates that there are more than 1,000,000 addicts in the United States, while among them are many children of twelve and hundreds in their early teens.

"The popular impression that 'dope fiends' exist only in the so-called 'underworld' is a fallacy," reads the bulletin.

"While it is true that the majority of drug addicts are found within this lower stratum of human society, the reader should know that physicians, lawyers, judges, clergymen, professors, and highly educated, accomplished women also are numbered among these unfortunates; also that many of them are being driven by the degradation of the addiction to swell the ranks of the 'underworld.'"

"Within the evil sphere of influence of narcotic drugs are as many women as men," says the health department bulletin. "Age seems to be no factor in its incidence. It even has invaded the grammar and high schools. Children of 12 years have been found to be victims as well as persons of advanced years.

"Because of its disgraceful and debasing nature, the habit ordinarily is kept secret as long as possible by the addict. It is difficult, therefore, to arrive at an accurate estimate of the number of addicts."

The health commissioner contends the drug addict "is not a person to be punished."

"Neither," he adds, "is he a fit subject for the reformer. Rather, he is entitled to the sympathy and cooperation of social agencies and, more especially, to the best thought and highest skill of the physician."

YELLOW TAXIS TO WHIZZ ABOUT EUROPE'S CITIES

It may be a question of only a few months when counterparts of the familiar Yellow cabs of Chicago's streets will be darting about the boulevards of practically every European capital, if the plans announced yesterday by John Hertz, president of the company, materialize.

Mr. Hertz, upon his return from a six weeks' visit abroad, said he has already closed negotiations for the delivery of 100 cabs to the largest taxi concern in London. Other cities where negotiations are under way, he said, are Paris, Stockholm, Lisbon, and Copenhagen.

"Business conditions in Europe appear much better than I had expected, and I believe the outlook to be good," he said.

Mr. Hertz was a passenger aboard the Leviathan on Friday when that liner grounded while steaming into New York harbor.

Mrs. Alfred Austrian, likewise a Leviathan passenger, also arrived in Chicago yesterday.

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ORRIES OF OLD YEAR-END FADE; RESERVE HELPS

ACTIVE STOCKS OF WEEK

Following are twenty most active stocks dealt in on the New York stock exchange during the week ended Dec. 22:

	Close.	Net chge.
Am Can	103½	— 1¼
Davis Chemical	70%	— 6¾
Sinclair Oil	25¾	— ⅝
Tobacco Prod	76½	— 6½
Texas Cont Oil	38	+ 1
Canden Co	34⅝	— ⅛
Baldwin Loco	124	— 1⅝
Cont Can	55	+ 4⅛
Fox Oil	47¾	— ⅛
Mid States Oil	6½	+ ⅛
Mariand Oil	26	— ⅛
Gen Motors	14½	— ⅛
Invincible Oil	13⅝	+ 2⅛
Cuban Cane Sug pfd	6⅝	+ 4⅝
S O Cal	62½	+ 3½
Cal Petrol	21⅝	— ⅛
Studebaker	105¾	— 1⅝
Pan Am P & T B	60	— 1½
U S Cast Iron Pipe	62⅝	+ ⅛
Phillips Petrol	33⅝	— 1⅛

The New York Times.

New York, Dec. 23.—[Special.]—The last week of the year is not likely to be a period of important occurrences in the financial world. Before the days of the federal reserve the week had certain traditions of its own. These were mostly based on experiences with the sudden strain on the New York money market which came with the year-end withdrawal of cash from bank reserves and the simultaneous expansion of bank labors for the "year-end settlements."

Older Wall street men will not have forgotten the last week of 1906, when the stock exchange call money rate went to 125 per cent and Jacob H. Schiff chilled the holiday rejoicings with his New Year message that, unless the banking system was changed, "you will have such a panic in this country as will make all previous panics look like child's play."

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Perhaps the spirit of the season is nowhere so visibly in evidence as in the financial district. Even Wall street probably has its Scrooges, but they keep discreetly under cover. The only sign of open business activity is the taking of inventories by merchants and producers—a process which this year is itself somewhat helpful to Christmas cheerfulness. But the posting of books for the year brings about, on such occasions as the year end, a more or less puzzled prospect of the year in finance and industry. After all is said, even after listening to the hopeful Wall street prophecies for 1924, the question is bound to be raised again: What is the explanation for the extraordinary change from the booming markets of last spring, the rising commodity prices, the high premium of "forward ores," to the sudden and unmistakable reaction in the last half of the year, with its 20 per cent shrinkage in monthly steel and iron output, its 30 per cent decrease in the steel corporation's unfilled orders, and the 16 per cent average decline on the stock exchange between spring and autumn?

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The prevalent idea appears to be that bankers, merchants, investors, and speculators scented danger in the extremely rapid expansion of March and April; that they were especially impressed with the warnings of "another 1920," with a disastrous inflation of credit, followed by disastrous collapse, and, therefore, deliberately called a halt.

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When confidence in the financial situation had been restored at the end of 1923, a sudden and impetuous rush to replenish stocks began. It lasted until the stocks were replenished. Then the competitive bidding stopped; orders for distant delivery disappeared, prices receded, and the monthly import trade of autumn, $100,000,000 below the high point of March. The events of the last half of 1923 followed naturally.

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....	14⅝	4⅛	Alax Rubber	6,100	6⅛	5⅛	6	— ⅛	15
....	1⅛	⅛	Alaska Gold	3,200	⅛	⅛	⅛	....	⅛
....	....	⅛	Alaska Juneau	2,300	1	⅞	1	....	⅞
4.00	80	59¼	Allied Chem	10,000	70⅝	67⅝	69	— ¾	73¼
7.00	111	100¾	Do pfd	1,400	110¼	106¾	110¼	+ ¼	115
4.00	51¼	37¼	Allis Ch Mfg	3,000	44⅞	43½	44⅛	....	44⅝
....	36⅝	10¾	Am Ag Ch	11,500	13¼	11⅝	13⅛	....	33
....	65¾	28¾	Do pfd	1,000	49¼	37¾	40	+ ¼	....
....	40⅛	25	Am Beet Sug	2,000	45¾	41¼	41⅝	— ⅜	25
....	69	28¾	Am Bosch	2,000	37½	34¼	36	— 1¼	40⅝
5.00	107⅜	78¼	Am Can	161,800	107⅜	102¾	103⅝	— 1¼	73⅝
7.00	115	106	Do pfd	100	108¾	108¾	108¾	....	....
12.00	180	148¼	*Am Car & F	1,300	163	160	160¾	— 1¾	164
2.00	32½	20¾	*Am Ch Sf A	1,500	24	22¾	23⅝	— ⅜	....
....	17⅜	8	Am Chicle	2,100	16	15¼	15½	+ ⅛	7⅛
....	9⅜	5¾	Am Cot Oil	1,500	9	8¼	8	....	....
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....	4⅜	3¼	Am Drug	1,800	5¼	5	5¼	+ ⅛	....
6.00	143¾	87	Am Express	1,700	90	89	89	— 1¾	135½
....	13⅜	6¼	Am Hide & L	2,400	9¾	7	7⅛	— 1⅛	10⅜
....	74⅜	29½	Do pfd	10,000	47	41¾	46½	+ 3¾	63⅝
7.00	111⅞	72	Am Ice Secs	1,600	87	85	86⅝	— 2⅛	109
....	33⅜	16	Am Int Corp	19,100	24⅜	21¾	22	— 1¾	27⅛
7.00	97	95	A P T 7% p	4,100	97	96	96	....	95
1.00	13	10¾	Am La Fr	1,800	11⅜	11	11⅛	+ ⅛	....
....	33	13	Am Linsd Oil	3,000	18¾	17	18	+ ⅛	....
....	82	31	Do pfd	2,300	35¾	33	33	— 1	....
6.00	75¼	64¾	Am Locomo	23,800	91¾	87¾	89⅝	— 1⅝	135½
3.00	55½	40¾	Am Metals	3,300	43¾	41¾	42⅜	— 1⅜	103
6.00	95¼	86	Am Radiator	7,000	96	91¾	95¾	+ 3¼	118½
7.00	105¾	98	Am R M pfd	300	98	97½	98	+ ¼	....
.50	9¼	4¾	Am Safety R	1,500	7¼	6¾	6¾	— ⅛	6⅝
....	21¾	10¾	Am Sh & C	12,800	11¾	10¾	11	— ⅛	19⅝
5.00	69½	31¾	Am Smelting	8,100	53¾	50½	51¾	+ ⅛	70⅝
7.00	105¾	75	Do pfd	800	96¾	95¾	95¾	— ¾	80⅜
....	40⅜	31¾	Am Sil Foun	3,600	37⅞	36	37	— ¾	37⅜
....	85	48	Am Sugar	10,200	58¾	56¼	57¼	— ⅝	57⅜
7.00	108⅝	97¾	Do pfd	1,600	96¼	92¾	93⅝	— 1⅛	107⅛
....	39⅜	16	Am Sum Tob	2,400	20⅜	18¾	19¼	— ⅛	38¼
5.00	58⅛	40	Am Tel & C	500	52	50	50	— 2	110
9.00	125⅝	119¼	*Am T & T	11,500	127⅛	124⅛	126	— ⅜	123⅛
12.00	161¼	140¼	Am Tob	1,100	148⅛	147¾	148¼	+ ⅛	153¼
6.00	105⅛	100¼	Do pfd	1,100	100¾	100¼	100¼	— 1½	102¼
12.00	159⅝	140	Do B	600	148⅞	146¾	147	— 1½	152⅝
....	44⅜	27¼	Am Wat Wks	100	40¾	40¼	40¼	— ⅜	....
4.00	64	48¼	Do 6%	700	62	62	62	— 1¼	....
7.00	106⅝	65	Am Woolen	20,500	72⅜	70¾	71⅝	— ⅝	85¼
7.00	113⅜	99⅜	Do pfd	500	100	99¾	100	— ¼	110
....	34	18	Am Wr P pfd	2,400	1¾	1¾	1⅞	— ⅛	28
....	19⅛	6¼	Am Zinc	900	7	6¾	7	+ ⅛	20⅛
....	35¼	25	Do pfd	500	27	25½	25½	— 1½	53
5.00	53½	33⅜	Anaconda	14,800	37⅜	32	36	— 1¼	45⅜
....	45	21	Ann Arb pfd	500	34	33	33	— 1	35
7.00	94½	88⅜	Arm Del pfd	2,500	93¼	92	92¼	....	....
....	1⅝	10⅛	Arnold Consts	5,600	14	12	13¾	— 1⅜	....
....	1	⅛	Assets Real	1,900	⅞	¾	¾	— ⅛	....
4.00	89	62¼	Asso Dry Gds	4,900	85¾	79⅜	83¾	+ 4¾	65¼
7.00	93½	84	Do 2d pfd	800	89¼	89	89	....	....
1.50	28¼	24¼	Asso Oil	4,400	28⅝	27½	28¾	— ⅛	....
6.00	105¼	98	Atchison	800	106¼	105¾	106¼	+ ⅜	103¼
5.00	90⅜	86¾	Do pfd	2,600	93¾	87¼	88½	— ¾	81⅝
....	3¼	1¼	Atl B & A	1,000	1¾	1¾	1¾	+ ⅛	1¾
7.00	137	109¼	Atl Coast L	2,100	113⅜	110¼	111	— 2	111⅛
....	2¼	1¾	Atl Prod	3,200	1¾	1¼	1¼	— ⅛	1¾
....	2⅜	⅞	Do ctfs	900	1⅝	1¼	1⅜	— ⅛	1⅝
....	34	9¼	Atl G & W I	17,900	15	14⅛	17⅝	+ 3¼	23½
....	27	5⅞	Do pfd	2,000	15¾	13	14⅛	+ 1⅜	44
4.00	154¼	92¾	Atl Ref	2,400	127	124	127	+ 3¼	....
....	64	10¾	Atlas Tack	1,000	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛	11¾
....	35½	17	Auet Nichols	16,600	29¾	26¾	28½	+ 1⅝	62¼
7.00	92	78¾	Do pfd	100	84	84	84	....	....
....	22¼	7¾	Auto Knit Ho	6,100	9⅝	6¾	6¾	— 3	....
7.00	114½	110¼	Baldwin Loc	99,100	127¼	122¾	124	— 1¾	135
5.00	60¾	40¼	Balt & Ohio	33,400	57⅝	54¼	56⅛	— 1⅝	43¼
4.00	60½	55¾	Do pfd	1,100	58⅝	56½	58	— ⅜	57⅜
....	53	20½	Barnett Lea	800	24	20¼	21¾	+ ⅜	23
....	13⅜	9⅛	Barnsdall A	6,500	16⅜	15¼	15⅝	— ⅜	28
....	22	6	Do B	2,600	15	13	13	— 1	18¾
2.50	62¾	50	Baruk Cigars	1,200	57	53	54	— 2	47⅜
2.40	64¼	48⅝	Beechnut Pk	18,700	54⅝	49½	53½	+ 4⅜	51
5.00	70	41⅜	Beth Steel	21,700	53¾	51	51¾	— 1⅜	61¾
7.00	97¼	87	Do pfd	2,000	91¾	90¾	90¾	— ¾	94⅝
....	3	1	Br Emp Steel	100	4	4	4	....	....
8.00	121¼	104¼	Brk Edison	2,700	112	109⅝	111¼	+ 1⅝	113
....	18⅜	6¼	Brk Man Tran	4,300	13¾	12¾	13⅛	....	8⅜
....	49	31⅝	Do pfd	5,400	44⅜	43	43⅝	....	....
12.00	144¾	100	Burns Bros A	3,100	103⅛	103	103	— 1⅜	145
2.00	43	21¾	Do B	900	23	23	23¼	— ⅜	45
.50	11¾	4⅛	Butte C & Z	3,600	5¼	4⅞	5	— ⅛	6⅝
....	37⅞	12⅝	Butte & Sup	1,900	15⅜	14⅞	14⅞	— ⅜	31⅜
....	23	13¾	Butterick	400	18¼	18	18⅛	....	18
....	9¾	4¼	Cadlo Oil	2,300	7⅜	6	6	— ⅜	7⅜
6.00	77	57	Cal Packing	1,000	82	80	80	— 2	82
1.75	28⅜	17¼	Cal Pirlm	73,300	25½	24¼	24⅝	— ⅝	57⅜
7.00	110⅝	96¼	*Do pfd	1,100	106	98	98	+ ¼	93½
....	4⅜	2	Chi & Alton	3,000	3⅜	3¼	3¼	— ⅛	6⅜
....	12⅜	3⅜	Do pfd	2,400	10¾	10	10	— ⅜	23½
....	13⅜	7⅜	C & E I	5,700	27½	25⅜	26	— 1⅜	28
4.00	88	43	*C G W	26,400	51¾	47¾	48⅜	— 2⅜	73⅝
7.00	118¾	90	Do pfd	700	104	88	100	— 5	114½
....	7	2⅜	Chi Gt West	1,500	4⅜	4	4⅛	— ⅛	4⅜
....	17	7	Do pfd	1,600	12	11	11	— ⅛	16
....	26⅜	11¼	C M & St P	18,800	12	11¼	12	— ⅛	21¾
....	45½	20⅜	Do pfd	31,400	23	20¾	21⅜	— ⅜	39¾
5.00	90⅝	75¼	Chi Pneu Tool	700	83	82	82	— ¾	83
....	37⅜	19¼	C G I & P	1,700	27⅜	25½	27	+ 1⅜	38¼
7.00	95	72	Do pfd A	1,000	78½	75¼	75¼	— 2¼	92
6.00	85	60⅝	Do pfd B	2,100	68¼	64⅜	64¼	— 3¾	82⅝
....	78	30	C St P M & O	1,500	52⅝	50	50	— 2¼	75¾
7.00	100	75½	Do pfd	500	75¾	71¾	72¾	— 2¼	....
2.50	30⅝	24¼	Chile Copper	4,800	27⅜	23¼	27⅛	+ ⅝	58
....	23⅜	14⅜	Chino	13,000	17⅞	17	17¾	+ ⅜	26⅜
4.00	115	76	C C C & St L	400	110	104	110	....	106
7.00	83⅝	65¼	Coca-Cola	1,500	73⅜	72⅜	73¾	+ ⅜	76½
....	35⅝	20	Colo Fuel	1,900	23¼	22½	23	— ⅜	24⅝
....	45⅛	17	Colo & So	700	24⅜	23¾	23¾	— ⅝	41¼
4.00	49¾	41	Columbia Carb	1,000	45¾	44¾	45¾	....	....
2.00	37⅜	30¾	Col G & E	4,800	33⅝	33¼	33⅝	— ⅛	....
4.00	46	25	*Comi Solv	400	40	40	40	— 4	44
6.00	91¼	67	Comp T-B Co	22,300	91¼	86⅝	90¾	+ 2½	70⅜
....	39⅜	15	Cons Cigars	3,400	16½	15	16	— ⅛	39
....	184⅜	44½	*Consolcum	9,600	179½	44½	45¾	....	....
5.00	69⅜	58⅝	Consol Gas	52,500	66¾	60¾	61⅝	— 2¼	69¾
....	2¼	1¼	Do rts	88,600	2⅛	1⅞	2	+ ⅛	....
....	14½	5	Cons Textile	7,800	6¾	6	6	— ⅛	11⅝
4.00	53¾	42¾	Cont Can	94,800	55	50¼	55	+ 4¼	....
....	13⅛	5	Motor Motors	3,500	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	— ⅛	....
6.00	157⅜	114¾	Corn Prod	40,300	157¼	150	153	....	130⅝
....	60¾	22¾	Cosden Co	101,800	36¼	33¾	34¾	— 2¼	52
4.00	64¼	57½	Crucible Stl	42,100	65¼	60	64½	— 2¼	70
7.00	94½	85¾	Do pfd	400	90¼	90¼	90¼	— ¼	....
....	20	8¼	Cuba C Sugar	27,300	16⅜	13⅜	16⅛	+ 1⅜	18
....	84½	33½	Do pfd	76,700	64¾	58	63¼	+ 4⅜	89½
3.00	37⅜	23	Cuba-Am Sug	23,900	34	32¾	34	+ ⅜	25⅜
7.00	106	92	Do pfd	700	97	96	97	+ ¼	100
....	12¼	8	Cuban-D Sug	1,700	9⅞	6¾	6¾	— ⅜	....
....	81⅞	20⅜	Davis Chem	152,700	80	65¾	70⅝	— 9⅝	35⅜
9.00	124⅜	83¼	Del & Hudson	1,900	106½	106	106	— 1	113
6.00	130¼	109¼	D L & W	8,300	115	110¾	113¾	— 2½	131
8.00	111	100¼	*Del Edison	800	106¼	105¼	105¾	+ ⅜	106
7.00	103¾	101	Pet Duquesne 1st pf	500	103½	102¾	103	....	....
2.00	44¾	30¾	Dome Mining	6,700	19¾	19¼	19½	— ¼	44
8.00	143⅜	106	Du Pont de N	14,700	132¼	127¾	127¾	— 2⅝	153
2.60	27	20	Eaton Axle	2,300	24¾	23¾	24¼	— ⅜	47
5.00	115⅝	93⅜	East Kodak	900	108¼	107¾	107¾	— ¼	85⅜
4.00	67¼	52	Elec Stor Bat	4,900	60⅜	58⅝	60	— 1¼	55
....	20⅜	13½	Elkhorn Fuel	800	15	12⅝	12⅝	— 1¼	20¼
....	74⅛	....	Emer-Bruns	200	75	75	75	....	....
....	30⅜	6¼	Do pfd	800	7¾	7¾	7¾	— ⅛	25⅜
5.00	94½	58⅝	Endicott J	4,900	65¾	62	65¼	— 1⅜	89⅜
7.00	118	109	Do pfd	800	116	113¾	116	+ 2	....
....	22⅜	10¼	Erie	47,800	15⅜	14⅜	15	— ⅜	....
....	31⅜	15	Do 1st pfd	17,700	30¼	28¼	29¼	— ¼	14⅛
....	27⅜	10⅜	Do 2d pfd	4,000	26¼	24¼	25	— 1⅛	14⅜
7.00	138	102	Fidel-P-B Ins	500	115	118	118	....	105⅝
3.00	53	32	Famous Play	19,000	68⅛	61¾	63¾	— ½	91⅜
6.00	99⅝	82	Do pfd	1,400	86¼	85¾	86	....	98
7.00	60¼	34½	F M & S pfd	1,000	43	41¼	43	+ 1	52¾
....	6⅜	7⅛	Fifth Av B L	3,900	9¾	9¼	9¼	....	47⅛
10.00	212¼	140	Fisher Body	1,300	163¼	160	160	— 15	215¼
6.00	73⅝	58½	Founds Co	500	67¼	66½	67¼	— ¼	....
....	16⅛	5½	Fisk Rubber	6,500	8¼	7¾	8	— ⅛	13¼
3.00	47⅜	37⅜	Fleisch Co	1,700	45	44¼	44½	— ¾	44
....	62¼	20¼	Kel spring	14,000	22¾	20	21½	— 1¾	44
5.00	108	73	Do pfd	500	87	84	84	— 2½	100

Div. pd. per share.	1923 High.	1923 Low.	Description.	Sales.	1923 High.	1923 Low.	Close	Net chge.	Close Dec. 23, 1922.
6.00	117⅝	75	*Kelsey Wheel	1,700	89	86	86	+ 3	113
2.00	45	29⅝	Kennec Cop	16,800	34⅝	33	33½	— 1¼	30⅝
....	11⅛	1⅝	Keystone Tire	1,500	3	2¾	2¾	— ⅛	10
....	64⅜	35¼	Kinney Co	3,300	61¼	55	60¼	+	....
7.00	112¾	100⅜	Kresge pfd	100	110¼	110¼	110¼	— ¾	100⅛
7.00	88½	75	Laclede Gas	700	79½	78	78½	+ ⅛	84
....	31⅛	11⅝	Lee Rub & T	600	15	14¼	14	— ¼	20⅜
3.50	71⅜	54	Lehigh Valley	4,500	58¼	56¼	56⅝	— ⅜	57⅜
4.00	74⅝	58¾	Lima Loco	7,800	66⅜	64	66⅜	— ⅜	33
3.00	21⅛	14	Loew's Inc	8,500	18	16¾	18⅛	— ⅛	19⅜
....	31⅜	11	Do pfd	600	25	24	24	— 1	25
....	66¾	36¼	Lorillard	3,500	57¾	55¼	55¼	— 1¾	52
12.00	182⅜	146	Lorillard, P	1,400	176⅜	171¼	172¾	— 4¼	167
5.00	153	84¾	L & N	5,000	90¾	88	88¾	— 1¼	....
6.00	85	37¼	Mack Truck	37,100	50	47¾	48⅝	— 1⅜	56
7.00	99⅜	87	*Do 1st pfd	900	95¾	94¾	94¾	+ ⅛	....
7.00	121	103	Mackay Cos	500	106¼	106¼	106¼	+ ¼	117
....	71⅜	57¾	Macy Co	3,700	69¾	67¾	69¾	+ 1¼	61
....	27⅞	27¼	Manati Sugar	1,600	30	29	30	— ⅛	31¾
....	41⅜	11¾	Mallinson	3,400	23¾	21¾	23¾	+ 1⅝	36⅞
6.50	74¼	40	Manati Sugar	700	64	61	64	+	....
4.00	63¼	40	Manati Sug pfd	100	61	61	61	— 1	....
4.00	60	37¾	Mar Mi Ind	400	40	37½	40	+ ¾	54⅜
4.00	45¾	27¼	Do pfd Mod	7,100	30½	27¾	29¾	—	....
4.00	49¾	40	Mar Shirt	7,500	45	42¾	43⅜	— 1¾	46⅜
6.00	97⅝	87	Maxim Elec	1,300	89	87	87	— 1	107
....	25	16	Maracaibo	12,900	25	25	27⅝	+	....
6.00	97	56½	McKisRy p pf	600	66¾	56⅝	66⅝	+ 6	98½
....	106⅜	77¼	Marland Oil	87,700	97⅝	83	90	— 2	38
....	19	9¾	Martin Parry	1,100	17	15	17	+ 1	....
3.00	39⅝	24	Martin-Parry	6,900	36¼	34½	36¼	+ 1¾	28½
....	64⅛	31⅛	Math Alkali	2,100	40	38	38	— 3	48
....	63¾	36	Maxwell Mo A	15,600	48¾	45¼	47¼	— 1¾	47⅜
1.00	21	10¾	Do B	7,100	13⅝	13	13	— ⅝	15⅜
5.00	95¼	61¼	May Dept St	28,200	93¼	84	91¼	+ 7¼	67¾
7.50	106	85¾	McCrory pfd	900	100	99¼	100	+ 1	....
1.00	20⅛	17	McIlhenny	1,200	18⅜	17¾	18	— ⅛	18
7.00	99¼	87	*Met Mil pfd	1,500	95¼	93½	93	+ ½	....
....	23⅜	6¾	Mex Seaboard	20,600	16⅝	15	15¼	— ⅜	17⅛
....	23⅜	8	Do ctfs	9,000	14⅜	14	14⅛	— ⅛	24⅜
5.00	30¾	20¾	Mexican Pet	1,400	27⅛	21½	21¾	—	27¼
....	13¼	3¾	Midstates Oil	91,200	7¾	6¾	7¼	— ⅜	24¼
....	33¾	21½	Midvale Steel	500	28¾	28	28¼	— ⅜	27
....	8¼	3	Min & St L	8,300	4⅜	4	4⅛	....	....
4.00	73⅜	39½	M St P & SSM	500	46¼	39¾	42¾	— 3¼	63⅛
....	17	9¾	M K & T	10,700	13¾	11	11	— ⅜	14⅜
....	43¾	24	Do pfd	8,700	30¾	29¼	29¾	— ⅝	39⅜
....	19⅜	8¾	Do pfd ctfs	2,100	13	12	12⅜	— ⅜	16⅜
....	49	23¾	Do pfd	10,800	29	26¼	28¼	+ ⅜	45½
4.00	72¼	45½	Montana Pow	700	60¾	60¾	60¾	— ¼	67¼
....	20⅛	15¾	Monty Ward	12,200	23¾	22¾	23¼	— ⅜	23¼
3.00	57¼	46¾	Mono Motor	9,000	26⅞	24¾	24¾	— 2¼	18⅜
1.00	14	7¾	Mother Lode	7,200	8	8	8	— ⅛	11
8.00	39⅝	31¼	Munsingwear	1,700	35¼	33⅜	33¼	+ 1¼	....
8.00	114¾	94	Nash Motors	6,500	105¾	96¾	98¾	— 6¼	....
3.00	53⅞	38	Nati Biscuit	4,500	51¾	50¾	51	— ⅜	67⅜
....	45¼	34⅜	Nati Dept St	10,200	42¾	38	41⅜	+ ⅜	....
4.00	74	54	Nati Enamel	3,400	49¾	46¾	48¾	— 1⅜	69¼
7.00	116¼	105¾	Do 1st

PRODUCING COST OF WHEAT HIGH; VALUES TOO LOW

BY CHARLES MICHAELS.

Why President Coolidge failed to advocate any set plan for farm relief in his message to congress has never been satisfactorily explained. But after an analysis is made of "The Wheat Situation," a report made by the United States department of agriculture to the President following an exhaustive investigation, it is not at all surprising that he did not.

It is seldom that a report made by a government body gives such frank statements as are embodied in the wheat summary. It should not be regarded in the light of what affect it might have on market values, but rather as a real effort to throw light on a situation that has been extremely puzzling to the producer as well as to the grain trade. Owing to the limited edition it would be well for farmers to write the department for a copy of the report immediately.

Production Costs are High.

It cost on an average of $1.21 per bu to produce wheat in the Dakotas and Minnesota this year, without allowance for the rent of the land, while in Kansas, Nebraska, and Missouri the cost was $1.30 per bu. The price obtained for the wheat in the northwest when the report was compiled was 91c and in the southwest, 94c per bu, according to the department. If land rent is included, the cost in the northwest is around $1.61, and in the southwest, $1.64 per bu.

This high cost is owing to several factors. One of these is the big expansion of acreage in the semi-arid territory, where yields are uncertain owing to lack of sufficient rainfall, the average being 10 to 20 inches per year. In Ford county, Kansas, which is in the semi-arid area, the average yield for the last 12 years has been 7.2 bu per acre, while in McPherson county, Kansas, in the semi-humid belt, it has been 13.1 bu. Ford county has had an average abandonment of acreage during that period of 37.1 per cent and McPherson county, 9.4 per cent. As both counties have a big acreage, the losses are important factors.

Big Task Ahead for Farmers.

How to overcome this is the big task ahead of the farmer, as well as the department of agriculture, which must undertake a campaign of education on diversification. In view of the fact that reports show that 2,000,000 farms derive the better part of their cash income from wheat, the task is huge.

There is a strong probability that farmers will not obtain more than production cost for wheat for some years to come, in view of the rapid expansion in acreage in Canada, and the big increase in agricultural activity in Europe and in Argentina. It is pointed out that the world's production of 3,461,000,000 bu this year is 600,000,000 bu in excess of the pre-war average exclusive of Russia, and the latter furnished only 164,000,000 bu yearly to importing countries before the war.

Numerous problems must be solved before diversification can be said to have been completed and the crop cut down to about actual domestic requirements. In some sections the land may be profitably employed in raising flax seed, which crop is only about 50 per cent of the annual requirements in this country. There are many farmers who are financially sound and can be saved by a loan sufficient to tide them over the diversification period. On this account the President is giving a great deal of attention to the proposed plan for a $50,000,000 revolving fund to aid that work.

No Hope of High Prices.

A summary of the present wheat situation, based on the facts presented in the report, would indicate that there is little or no hope of high prices for some years to come, and that, regardless of the tariff, the flow of Canadian grain into this country will continue. The return of Russia as an exporter will cut down the demand for American durum, and American markets are also above an export basis on red and hard winters. The sooner the producer realizes that the unchanged world conditions the better he will be off. Owing to inability to gauge consumption, no authoritative estimate as to how much wheat this country has for export this season is made in the report.

Prices Lowest in Months.

Wheat prices have dropped to the lowest in recent weeks, with a decline of 1¾c on December and 3½c on May from the high to the low point of the week, showing losses of 4¾@5¾c from the previous week's top and net declines of 2½c on December, 3c on May, and 1¾c on July. The last sales on Saturday were $1.01¾@1.01¾ for December, $1.04½@1.04⅝ for May, and $1.05@1.05½ for July.

	December.	May.	July.
Monday	70¾-70⅝	73¾-73⅝	73¾-74⅛
Tuesday	70¾-71⅛	73 -73¼	74⅛-75⅛
Wednesday	71⅜-72¼	73⅜-74⅜	74⅝-75⅝
Thursday	71¾-72	73¾-74⅛	74⅝-75⅜
Friday	72¼-72⅝	74⅛-74⅝	75⅛-75⅝
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[Bodine Studio Photo.]

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(Story on page one.)

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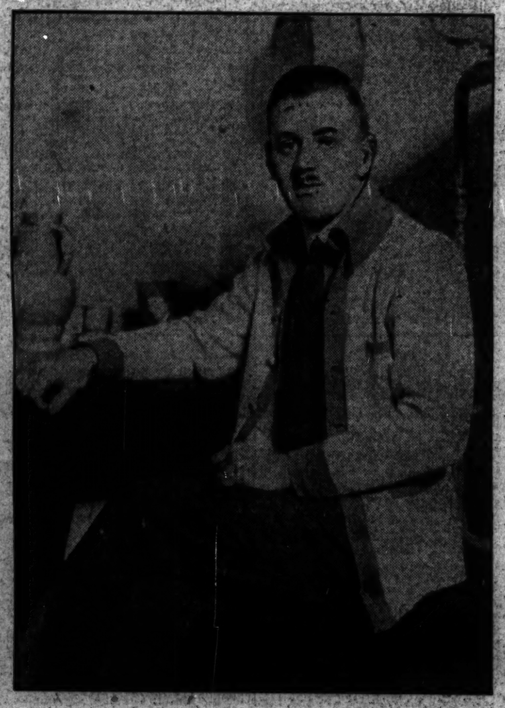
PARIS FAVORITE. Mlle. Nikita, Russian dancer, in Palace Revue costume.



[Wide World Photo.]

PATRIOTISM KEEPS HIM IN CELL FOR CHRISTMAS. Lieut. Corliss H. Griffis, one of the two Americans who tried to arrest Grover Bergdoll, in German prison.

(Story on page two.)

[Kadel & Herbert Photo.]

WELL, ANYHOW, THERE'S PLENTY OF SNOW IN SWITZERLAND. H. G. Martin's team taking first run on their "Scarlet Runner" on the famous Cresta run at St. Moritz, Switzerland, where many Americans are enjoying winter sports.

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SANTA CLAUS. John H. Kirby, Texas lumber king, to care for 4,952 children.

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TO EXPLORE PARAMA. Dr. Herman L. Fairchild, who will see white Indians.

WORKING GIRLS AID ORPHANS. Mrs. J. R. Allen and Miss Hazel Shortt, American Railway Express company employes, giving presents at St. Vincent's Orphan asylum.

[J. D. Tolott Photo.]

CELEBRATES. Miss Anna Gordon, head of W. C. T. U., which observes fiftieth anniversary.

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[TRIBUNE Photo.]

PASTOR LEADS JOLIET DRY RAIDS. Charles Vursell, new chief field agent of prohibition department (left) and the Rev. H. E. Rompel, who helped him.

(Story on page one.)

[Telegram N. Y.]

BRITISH AND FRENCH GOLF CHAMPIONS PAY VISIT TO U. S. Arthur G. Havers, British open champion (left), and Jimmie Ockenden, French open golf champion, limbering up at the Westchester Biltmore Country club course at Rye, N. Y., after landing.

[Kadel & Herbert Photo.]

PAINTS AT 84. Claude Monet, noted French artist, celebrates birthday.

[TRIBUNE Photo.]

CANADIAN CLUB AND THISTLES BATTLE TO SCORELESS TIE AFTER TWO HOURS OF PLAY. The picture shows the ball near the Thistles' goal in yesterday's soccer game at Bricklayers' park, 35th street and Wentworth avenue, with Steve Smith, the Thistle goalkeeper, prepared to make one of his several clever stops.

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20,000 BLACK FRENCH TROOPS RULE MILLION

Palatinate Cut Off from Germany.

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SPEYER, Bavarian Palatinate, Dec. 24.—(Tribune Radio.)—Christmas of 1923 will be marked in history in this forgotten valley as the zero hour of national existence.

Separatist shock troops and "ministers" under the direction and protection of Gen. de Metz, French commander in the Palatinate, are governing the population of 1,000,000 Germans. The prisons are overflowing and every day brings new expulsions of those not willing to pledge allegiance to the new government.

In the streets of the old towns in the Palatinate, Moroccan soldiers, ranging from coal black to delicate cream color, maintain order at the point of bayonets, while posters announce that the population must begin paying regular taxes to the Palatinate republic on New Year's day or suffer the consequences—imprisonment or expulsion from the homeland.

Conditions Worse than Ruhr's.

Conditions in the Palatinate are almost incredibly worse than those in the Rhineland and the Ruhr. A careful investigation by THE TRIBUNE during the past week, with full consultations with responsible French authorities, shows to what extent the Palatinate has suffered through its inaccessibility. While the glare of publicity in all the nations of the world has been directed on the Ruhr and Rhineland, the French here have openly forced a republic on the people by bayonets of 20,000 Negro troops, while every official maintaining his allegiance to Germany has been driven across the Rhine or thrown into jail.

Gen. de Metz not only admitted his part in the movement, but boldly justified it in an interview with THE TRIBUNE as follows:

"France does not ask America what she does in Panama or Mexico. Why should America worry what we do in the Rhineland?"

Bayonets Set Up Republic.

The entire movement here—happening almost without the knowledge of the world in general—was completed in the last four weeks with machine-like efficiency, the Moroccan soldiers first disarming all the German police and officials, imprisoning them in public buildings and declaring a curfew, keeping the people inside their houses by rings of bayonets in the streets. Then the separatist three ring circus moved in without bloodshed and a proclamation was posted announcing independence from Germany.

Heinze von Oehm, a general, but also an exceedingly stupid small peasant from a village near Kaiserslautern, was proclaimed president of the republic on Nov. 11 here. He appointed Adolph Bley, a shrewd brewer, prime minister. The cabinet consists of five ministers, only one of whom is a native of the Palatinate—Herr Bley himself.

Many figures in the separatist government as seen by THE TRIBUNE correspondent in his tour of the Palatinate are the same familiar figures as those seen two months ago in the northern Rhineland—Prussians, Bavarians, Saxons, and Poles, soldiers of adventure and mercenaries, who are comparatively frank and cynical about their connections with the French high command.

600 Already Deported.

The separatist storm troops, numbering about 250, are now equipped with smart green uniforms, specially ordered from France, and all the public buildings throughout the country carry the flag of the Rhineland Republic. Blanks for passports, licenses and other governmental papers have been ordered, and will be delivered Jan. 1, when the people must pay the separatists or follow their leaders across the river.

According to most conservative estimates—French and separatist—about 600 people have been driven across the river in the last month for opposing the separatists. Their homes and property were seized. Another 800 or 900 are in jail, and their property has been seized.

The Rhineland republic now rules undisputed over 661 communes, towns and villages in the Palatinate, and only an official loyal to Germany remains in the country.

Abolish Press of Country.

The entire press of the country has been abolished, except the separatist newspaper, and Moroccan soldiers guard the printing offices. The last report of the Independent press ap-

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